

## Both Sides Give Ground in Truce Talks

### Ike Forces Are Speeding Tempo Of Political War

Speakers Will Move Into New Hampshire To Boom General.

(By The Associated Press) Eisenhower-for-President forces are stepping up their fight to win a political beachhead for the general.

There were these developments for several States and Washington:

1. Seven speakers from Congress and elsewhere will begin moving into New Hampshire next week to boom General Eisenhower for that State's 14 delegates to the GOP presidential nominating convention.

2. Gov. John Lodge of Connecticut publicly came out for Eisenhower and announced he is going on a speaking tour of Florida, Mississippi and Louisiana.

3. Louisiana Eisenhower backers leading with sponsors of Senator Taft of Ohio are seeking to force the GOP State Central Committee to certify the returns of the Jan. 15 party primary in which Eisenhower supporters won the majority of seats.

4. In Washington, evidence mounted that the general's supporters are building up pressure for him to return home and help get the bandwagon rolling.

5. Eisenhower still has a 5 to 3 edge over Taft in Oklahoma, but Taft picked up two more delegates to the GOP national convention yesterday (Wednesday) in the struggle for Oklahoma's 16 representatives. General Douglas MacArthur has one, one is still uncommitted, and six more are to be elected.

Senator Brewster, Republican, Maine, however, wasn't too impressed with all the "I Like Ike" activity. He predicted that if present political trends continue, Taft will have the GOP nomination "sewed up" within a few weeks.

With Truman's plans still a mystery, Senator Russell, Democrat, Georgia, said he deeply appreciates the suggestion by Gov. James F. Byrnes of South Carolina that Russell be a presidential candidate. But he ducked any direct commitment at this time.



By CLIFF CLINES and W. D. DIXON

The publicity given Vernon over the Sons of the Pioneers radio program at the grand opening of the Wilbarger Memorial Auditorium Monday night has interested one person in the community at least. A man wrote the Chamber of Commerce from Chicago praising the program, and asking for literature about Vernon. He said that he is approaching retirement age and is interested in moving to some community away from the cold and snow of Chicago.

As another reason why Vernon can and does serve the people of this area better I want to mention Bo Serold, of Serold's Firestone



BO SEROLD

Store at 1728 Pease. If you have noticed, the Vernon business men I've been mentioning in this series are long on experience. So they bring more than just a profit motive to the service of the people of this area. B. H. "Bo" Serold, owner and manager of Serold's Firestone, likewise has plenty of experience. He was born in San

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**MIXUP**—Supporters of Sen. Robert Taft of Ohio who demonstrated for their favorite at the Republican Lincoln Day Rally and box supper in Washington met with some opposition as supporters of Gen. Ike Eisenhower mix their banners with the Taft posters. The rally was the kickoff for the 1952 Republican campaign.

### Officer Killed In Gun Battle

Fort Worth, Feb. 7. (AP)—One Fort Worth detective was killed and two others, one from Dallas, were wounded at noon today when they entered a Meadowbrook residence for a Dallas robbery suspect.

Also wounded was the fugitive, Robert Barber, 26.

Killed was Detective Henry Cleveland, 50, member of Fort Worth Police Force since 1926.

Wounded were: Detective A. L. Armstrong, seriously wounded, veteran Fort Worth officer.

H. C. Holloway, 39, Dallas detective, shot in right leg.

Barber, 26, was wanted in connection with a \$15,000 Dallas robbery and several liquor store hold-ups.

Cleveland was killed instantly when shot in the heart.

All wounded were taken to St. Joseph's Hospital.

The gun battle happened at Barber's residence, 1933 Queen, when the three detectives and another Dallas officer, Detective C. O. Pope, went to pick up Barber.

They were met at the door by Mrs. Barber, 21.

"Don't tell anyone we are here," Mrs. Barber quoted the detectives. She replied: "No one is here but me," and she informed the detectives she knew her husband was wanted for some offense.

**Major Reservoirs Hold Less Water**

Austin, Feb. 7. (AP)—Nine major Texas reservoirs hold 13 per cent less water than they did a year ago, the State Water Board reported today.

From the first of January to the end of the month, there was a two percent shrinkage. Sharp drops were reported on Trinity River or tributary reservoirs and on Possum Kingdom reservoir, Brazos River.

Possum Kingdom dropped from 63 to 60 per cent of capacity between the end of December and January; Lake Dallas from 44 to 40; Eagle Mountain from 93 to 90; Lake Kemp 50 to 47; Red Bluff on the Pecos picked up from 11 to 12 per cent full.

Ground water levels reached new lows and stream flow was below normal as rainfall continued short. The nine major reservoirs were only 41 per cent full at the end of January.

**HE'S NOT MAD**

Uvalde, Feb. 7. (AP)—Former Vice President John Nance Garner wants his friends to know he's not mad at them. The reason he hasn't been answering their letters, he explained today, is that he has been having trouble with an arm and a foot for the past six months. The ailments are minor, the 83-year-old Texan told Victor Dittmar of the Uvalde Leader News. Otherwise, he feels fine. Just doesn't want to answer those letters right now.

**MEETING OPENS**

Houston, Feb. 7. (AP)—A three day meeting of the student affiliates of the American Chemical Society and the American Society of Chemical Engineers opened today at Rice Institute.

**RECORD IS SET**

Houston, Feb. 7. (AP)—A record 110,000 persons have seen the first 12 performances of the annual rodeo at the Houston Fat Stock Show, Manager Herman Engel estimated today. The rodeo ends Sunday night.

### Test Well Pumping Water at Rate of 400 Gallons Minute

One of the best test wells in the city's search for water has been located on the McCaleb farm 12 miles north of Vernon.

The well, drilled to a depth of 93 feet, has been pumping over 400 gallons per minute. It has been called by Federal Water Engineers working with the city as the best test well drilled in the search for additional water supply for Vernon.

The well, however, will probably not be available for use during the drought-ridden Summer months of this year. It was pointed out that a number of tests

still have to be run to ascertain whether or not it would be practical to sink a number of other wells in the locality.

An estimate of the cost of drilling wells and piping the water into Vernon has been set at near \$1,000,000. It was pointed out that naturally everything possible would be checked to make sure the well, or wells, would be a steady producer before that kind of money would be spent.

Other tests in that general area have proved to be good, but not outstanding.

Other tests have been going on nearer the city. Eight test wells were drilled near the pump station in the southwest portion of Vernon. One of the wells has been rated good. That well could be used as a temporary well for heavy Summer water usage.

Wells for a new park use are being drilled near the baseball park in Southeast Vernon.

**Labor Treaty Is Scored by Solon**

Washington, Feb. 7. (AP)—Senator Wayne Morse, Republican, Oregon, says the U. S.-Mexican farm labor treaty "is a collusion between two governments to knowingly exploit human beings."

Morse leveled his criticism at the sponsorship of the program under which Mexicans come to the U. S. to work on farms—in a Senate labor subcommittee hearing yesterday.

The hearing was on migratory farm labor problems.

Morse called the agreement a "form of economic slavery."

"It is doing us international damage and playing into the hands of Russian propagandists," the Senator continued.

Morse contended there is adequate labor available in this country without importing it. He said better wages and living standards are all that is needed to attract U. S. workers to seasonal agricultural jobs.

Many wetbacks, he maintained, work for as low as 5 and 10 cents per hour. Wetbacks are Mexican workers who enter this country by illegal means, often wading the Rio Grande and by-passing customs and immigration officials.

Undersecretary of Labor Michael J. Galvin told the committee:

"Elimination of the wetback is the most important thing in this whole picture."

Galvin was referring to the Senate's passage Tuesday of legislation to tighten the immigration laws.

**B-29 CRASHES**

Tokyo, Friday, Feb. 8. (AP)—An American B-29 crashed late Thursday night five miles north of Yokota Airbase near Tokyo, the Air Force announced today. The Japanese Kyodo News Agency said the plane's bomb load exploded, destroying 10 houses and killing one Japanese in the village of Kaneko, 40 miles west of the heart of Tokyo. There was no word on the fate of the crew. B-29s normally carry from 11 to 14 men. A blinding snow was falling at the time of the crash, 11:05 p. m.

**BAND DIRECTOR DIES**

Tyler, Feb. 7. (AP)—J. F. (Doc) Witt, 68, band director who played cornet with John Phillip Sousa and the Al G. Fields Minstrels, died today. Witt had directed Tyler's municipal band for the past 44 years. Witt organized the band and was the only director it ever had. He also organized and directed the Tyler Junior College and high school bands. Witt was born in Omaha, Texas.

**ENDS TOUR**

Houston, Feb. 7. (AP)—Maj. Gen. E. L. Ford, Army Chief of Ordnance, today ended a ten day tour of Southwestern area ordnance facilities. He visited the Dickinson Gun Plant and other defense plants in this area.

### Trunk Murderess Reported Sighted In New Mexico

Winnie Ruth Judd and Companion Claimed Seen in Las Cruces.

Las Cruces, N. M., Feb. 7. (AP)—Winnie Ruth Judd was reported to have been seen in Las Cruces this morning by a woman who said she once worked with the Arizona fugitive as a nurse.

The woman gave her name only as Mrs. MacDonald.

She said she saw Mrs. Judd, trunk murderer who escaped last Saturday from the Arizona State Hospital for the insane, and a male companion in a late model automobile with Missouri license plates.

Mrs. MacDonald said she is "positive" the woman in the car was Mrs. Judd and had immediately notified sheriff's deputies. State police set up road blocks at Anthony, 26 miles south, and alerted El Paso, Texas, police.

### Damage Suit For \$9,000 Filed Here

The daughter of a construction worker killed in a fall from a building scaffold at the new Southwestern Bell Telephone building here last September has initiated proceedings in the 46th District Court to recover more than \$9,000 in damages from a Fort Worth insurance company.

In a brief styled "Marge Scott and others, versus Liberty Lloyds" Mrs. Scott has asked compensation consisting of \$25 per week for 360 weeks and "reasonable payment for funeral expenses" for her father, Thomas L. Paulk.

Mrs. Scott seeks the compensation as the only living dependent of the late Mr. Paulk.

Mr. Paulk was killed instantly last Sept. 10 in a fifteen-foot fall from a scaffold at the new telephone building, where he was working for the Friedman Construction Company. Cause of the mishap was not determined.

Defendant's answer in the case, denying all allegations and asking a hearing, has been filed by Chester B. Collins of Fort Worth, attorney for the defense.

The Peety, Kouri and Wilson law firm of Wichita Falls is representing the plaintiff.

Hearing was expected to be set for sometime in March.

### Intoxicated Gent Saves Police Lot of Trouble

A man with an alcoholic tinge to his voice called police Thursday and requested that they send a patrol car to a certain address.

The police obliged.

When they arrived they found a man more than slightly inebriated. He told officers that he became drunk and couldn't take care of himself and wanted the law to take care of him.

The police obliged—the man is now in jail.

### Grand Jury Will Consider 14 Cases Here Next Monday

Fourteen cases, ranging from child desertion to statutory rape and murder, will be presented to the 46th District grand jury when it convenes here at 9 a. m. on Feb. 11. District Attorney Leon Douglas says.

The pistol slaying of a Negro shoe repairman, John Williams, in downtown Vernon on Jan. 30 is expected to be one of the first cases considered by the grand jury. Edwin L. Smith, 35-year-old Vernon white man, has been charged with murder with malice in the shooting.

The case of Robert Dale Simpson, charged with assault with intent to murder in the Christmas Eve beating of four-year-old Tommy Yates, will also be considered. Simpson's case was passed by the grand jury earlier in the term pending trial of Tommy's mother. Mrs. Simpson received a ten-year prison term for the beating, which has left the boy in a paralyzed condition in Baylor Hospital in Dallas.

Other cases scheduled for hearing include:

A bigamy count lodged against

### Queen Elizabeth Returns To England to Ascend Throne And to Bury King George VI

London, Feb. 7. (AP)—Young Queen Elizabeth II returned to her homeland today to ascend the throne and bury King George VI.

The 25-year-old Queen of the United Kingdom and the dominions overseas reached London Airport at 4:15 p. m. (10:15 a. m. CST) after a flight from Nairobi, Kenya. It was exactly a week since she left London, as Princess Elizabeth, to make a round-the-world tour of five months.

A plain oak coffin was being prepared for the remains of her father, King George VI. The funeral will be held next week.

The four-engine transport carrying the royal party set down at 4:19 p. m. after a 4,000-mile, one-stop flight. Prime Minister Winston Churchill headed the official delegation on hand to welcome the new Queen. The skies were gray.

The royal family was represented by the Duke and Duchess of Gloucester, aunt and uncle of the Queen. Another uncle, the Duke of Windsor, is sailing home from New York to attend the funeral.

The scene at the airport was a cheerful one, in the gathering gloom of the early English twilight. Prime Minister Churchill had appealed to the public in advance to stay away from the airport and respect the Queen's grief.

Elizabeth stepped out of the plane at 4:33 p. m. It was arranged that she go to Clarence House, her residence as princess, and then to Buckingham Palace to take the oath to uphold the constitution, before the Privy Council.

Tomorrow she will be formally proclaimed Queen—the first woman to rule Britain in 51 years.

Six cars stood by at the airport to take the royal party and its luggage to the heart of London. Policemen were posted along the 15-mile route from the airport to Central London to speed the motor convey.

Churchill bowed deeply and shook hands with the Queen as she stepped from the plane, closely followed by her husband, the Duke of Edinburgh.

Elizabeth wore a black hat and coat. The Duke, in a dark overcoat, was hatless.

Five minutes after they left the plane the Queen and the Duke drove away toward London.

A thin line of spectators standing outside the airport saw the procession pull away.

A group of soldiers snapped a salute at the royal car as it passed. The Queen, unsmiling, waved back.

**Strike in Oil Industry Feared**

Denver, Feb. 7. (AP)—Possibility of a strike of a large portion of the oil industry loomed today.

The CIO Oil Workers International Union announced a strike vote is being prepared in support of the union's demands for a \$2 a day general wage increase.

A union spokesman said the strike would have "a very substantial effect on the nation's oil industry." He estimated about 50,000 persons would be involved, many of them employed in refineries.

O. A. Knight, union president, issued a statement declaring: "For four and a half months we have tried to negotiate an increase but we have met only with arrogant refusal on the part of the companies to even talk seriously about a substantial raise."

The boost would amount to about a 12 per cent general hike. "The average wage in the industry now is \$2.10 an hour."

Knight said about 300 of the union's more than 600 bargaining units have been requested to take strike votes and prepare to strike.

**Man Admits Having Two Wives—Faces Hot Check Charges**

Is there a justifiable excuse for giving worthless checks? Maybe not. But Ted Applegate, 30, of Odessa, may have as good a reason as a man can find nowadays. And even the reason got him in trouble with the law.

Applegate tells local officers he has two wives—one he married in Weatherford in 1941 and another acquired in Vernon in December of 1951.

District Attorney Leon Douglas has filed bigamy charges in 46th District Court here.

About the check. It was a small one, but authorities felt Applegate's two wives were not reason for passing worthless checks.

He's currently serving a ten-day sentence in the county jail for passing it.

**TO ATTEND GRADUATION**

San Antonio, Feb. 7. (AP)—Capt. Eddie Rickenbacker, Eastern Air Lines president, will attend the graduation of his son, William F. Rickenbacker, from the Lubbock AFB B-25 Pilot School tomorrow. The famed World War I ace left San Antonio today for Hondo AFB where he was to address the first class to graduate from that recently reactivated base in the afternoon.

**CONFERENCE SCHEDULED**

Austin, Feb. 7. (AP)—Gov. Allan Shivers said today the 1952 National Governors' Conference will be in Houston June 29-July 2. He termed it "the greatest meeting of state executives in the history of Texas."

**TWO PERSONS FINED**

Two persons were fined Thursday in Justice of the Peace C. W. Shepherd's court. A Pampa man paid a \$10 fine for illegal passing and a Vernon man paid a \$19 fine for speeding.

**FOUR PERSONS FINED**

Four persons were fined Thursday in Corporation Court. Three men paid fines of \$10 each on charges of drunkenness and one man paid a \$10 fine on charges of reckless driving.

### Negotiators Are Still Far Apart On Key Problems

Allies Abandon Demand That Reds Trade DPs for UN-Held Prisoners.

Munsan, Korea, Feb. 7. (AP)—Reds and Allies each gave ground today and narrowed the gap on troop rotation and the future displaced civilians.

But negotiators remained as far apart as ever on key issues blocking a Korean armistice.

Allied negotiators abandoned demands that the Communists trade displaced civilians for U.N.-held war prisoners.

The U.N. reiterated, however, that all prisoners must have the right to choose whether they want to be repatriated and that impartial teams must interview civilians to determine whether they want to live in North or South Korea.

An official U. N. spokesman, Brig. Gen. William P. Nuckolls, told newsmen before the transcript of the negotiations was available that the demand for civilian interviews also was dropped. The record shows that this was not the case.

In an adjoining tent the Communists gave ground in the dispute over troop rotation during an armistice. The Allies said they would talk about the Communists' definition of coastal waters and consider dropping two demands relating to troop dispositions during a truce.

But the key issue of whether the Reds have the right to build and repair North Korean airfields during an armistice has been shelved for the time being.

The U. N. command continued its study of a Red proposal that a high level political conference be held within 90 days after an armistice is signed to consider all Asian problems looking toward peace in Korea.

### More Meat for 1952 Forecast

New York, Feb. 7. (AP)—Meat eaters are promised more of their favorite dish this year—with prices perhaps a bit easier on the home budget. And the increase in beef available will be the greatest gain of any of the meats.

But the population is growing so fast that both in and out of the meat industry they are wondering if livestock production here can keep up with the number of Americans who will be clamoring for meat—by 1961, say.

The only way to keep meat prices down and consumption levels up to raise more animals—more even than the record number now in the feedlots, on the farms and ranges. But economists of the National City Bank of New York say production will increase only if production costs can be kept down. And they insist that right now not as much meat is being produced as American incomes justify.

Cattle herds have been built to around 88 million head, the American Meat Institute reports today. But the bank economists contended that in relation to population the number of cattle is no larger now than in the 1935-39 period when the disposable income (after taxes) per person was \$510 as against \$1,450 now.

**IN SECLUSION**

New York, Feb. 7. (AP)—The Duke of Windsor remained in seclusion today preparing for the voyage to England to attend the funeral of his brother, King George VI.

**KEEP FIRM GRIP**

Bournemouth, Eng., Feb. 7. (AP)—Churchill's Conservative party kept a firm grip on two Parliamentary seats filled in special bye-elections, returns showed today.

**Weather**

Temperature readings for the past 24-hour period ending at noon on Thursday:

Maximum ..... 71 degrees  
Minimum ..... 39 degrees  
Noon reading 71 degrees  
Forecast: Fair with rising temperature through Friday.



"... very becoming robe you got in the Vernon Record Want Ads—especially when you yawn!"



## Grady the Cow Still Popular

Yukon, Okla., Feb. 7. (AP)—Grady the cow hasn't lost any time since her historic plunge into a silo on Owner Bill Mach's farm three years ago.

She's had three calves—one a year—and seems destined to have quite a large family before the end of her days. And the family is pretty well balanced—two sons and a daughter.

Grady is seven years old now and has taken on a few pounds but she hasn't lost her glamour. Mach says the curious continue to visit the ranch to see Grady.

Tuesday, Feb. 22, 1949—Washington's birthday—was an eventful day in Grady's life. Her first calf was born dead. Her sadness turned into frenzied flight. She bolted the barn and stomped headlong toward the silo. How she dived through the 17 by 25½ inch opening is still a mystery.

The news of her entrapment flashed across the news wires of the nation on Friday. Soon the whole world was wondering how Grady was going to get out of her predicament.

On Saturday, Feb. 26, a simple maneuver of grease, sleeping shots and a lot of push and pull sent Grady squeezing through the small opening and back into the barn yard.

## Party Line---

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Antonio in 1912. He attended high school and business college in San Antonio and worked in a general store in Smithson Valley years ago. He started working for Firestone way back in the depression year of 1935. You learned to render service back in those days. After serving four years in the Navy, Mr. Serold moved to Vernon in 1946 and became associated with "Fat" Hoffman, another fellow who learned about service in the days when it was necessary. Bo Serold bought the Firestone merchandising store he now operates from Mr. Hoffman in 1949, and has operated it individually since that time. He is the type of young, experienced business man that provides the utmost of service, and surely is another reason why Vernon can and does serve the people of this area better.

Again, we have the business men and the merchandising facilities. We have a fine community. Let's talk Vernon, sell Vernon, build Vernon, and its entire territory.

KVWC presented a local talent program last Sunday afternoon at 3 o'clock, and the requests for a repeat performance have been so numerous that an effort is being made to present it again at the same time Sunday. Featured on the program were the Choraleers of the High School, Jack Cartusciello, Luther Bloomer, Mrs. George Prudom, Miss Selma Baird and others.

## Born To Be A Best Cook

In a section abounding with good cooks, R. D. L. Killough of Vernon has attained fame for his chili making. In response to a number of requests by those who have eaten his chili, or who have heard about it by word and water of mouth, we pass along the recipe for Mr. Killough's chili.

**Killough's Chili**  
2 pounds beef, ground fine  
1 pound of suet, ground fine  
Put suet in skillet, melt and strain into kettle in which you are to cook chili. Then put in 2 pounds of ground meat. Put in 4 or 5 cloves garlic, or as much as you like for taste. Put in 2 heaping tablespoons of bulk chili powder (Vennidge chili powder). Do not use can or bottle chili powder as the bulk has several ingredients the others do not have. I use Vennidge chili powder. When same is cooked until meat tastes pretty well done, put in 1 No. 2 can of tomatoes chopped fine. About five minutes before you take chili up, put in one can of Brown Beauty beans, salt to taste.

Classified Ads—bring results!

### Lenten Specials

Iceland Fat Schmaltz Herring, large size fish, lb. . . . .55c  
Cut Lunch Pickled Herring, large jar . . . . .95c  
Rolltop Pickled Herring, large jar 85c—Half gallon jar 82.10

The largest stock of groceries and all variety of meats and all flavors in ice cream and all sizes of packages and all varieties of fresh frozen fish—Low prices and specials on all items. See our window posters for real hot specials.

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**SOUP KITCHEN RETURNS**—Polish emigrants, hard hit by defense-conversion unemployment in Detroit motor factories, line up at a privately-operated soup kitchen in Hamtramck, Mich., industrial suburb of Detroit. The kitchen—dishing out substantial meals of soup, meat, vegetables, bread and coffee—is the first to be set up in Hamtramck since the depression days of the Thirties. A suburban councilman has proposed publicly-operated kitchens to help feed some of the area's 200,000 jobless.

## Markets

### Markets at A Glance

New York, Feb. 7. (AP)—  
STOCKS—higher; oil in front.  
BONDS—steady; rails in demand.  
COTTON—lower; Commission House selling.  
Chicago:  
WHEAT—firm; rallied at close.  
CORN—firm; export business.  
OATS—firm; short covering.  
SOYBEANS—mixed; 1952 crop months easy.  
HOGS—mostly 50 cents higher; top \$18.60.  
CATTLE—steady to weak.

### Chicago Grain Futures

Wheat:	Open	Close
March	2.56 3/4	2.57 1/4
May	2.52 1/4	2.52 3/4
July	2.46 1/2	2.46 3/4
Sept.	2.47 1/2	2.48 1/2
Dec.	2.50 3/4	2.51 1/4

Corn:	Open	Close
March	1.82 1/4	1.83 1/4
May	1.85 1/4	1.85 3/4
July	1.85 1/4	1.86 1/4
Sept.	1.82 1/4	1.82 3/4
Dec.	1.72 1/4	1.73 1/4

Oats:	Open	Close
March	.84 3/4	.84 3/4
May	.84 3/4	.84 3/4
July	.81 1/4	.81 1/4
Sept.	.81 1/4	.81 1/4
Dec.	.82 1/4	.83 1/4

### Fort Worth Cash Grain

Fort Worth, Feb. 7. (AP)—Wheat, No. 1 hard, 2.70-75.  
Corn, No. 2 white, 2.37-41.  
Oats, No. 2 white, 1.13-14.  
Sorghums, No. 2 yellow milo, 3.10-15.

### Fort Worth Livestock

Fort Worth, Feb. 7. (AP)—Cattle 600; calves 200; slow, about steady. Slaughter steers and yearlings 25.00-33.00; beef cows 21.00-23.50; good and choice fat calves 30.00-34.00; common and medium 22.00-29.00; stocker steer yearlings 26.00-33.00; stocker calves 26.00-36.00.  
Hogs 600; most butchers and sows steady; late sales pigs 1.00 lower; choice 180-270 lb. butchers 18.00-50; choice 160-175 lb. hogs 16.25-17.75; sows 13.00-15.00; feeder pigs 10.00-14.00.

### New Orleans Cotton Futures

New Orleans, Feb. 7. (AP)—Cotton futures declined here early today but reacted from the lows in the later dealings on profit-taking from the short side. Closing prices were steady 25 cents a bale higher to 10 cents lower.

	Open	Close
March	41.65	41.63
May	41.17	41.21-23
July	40.37	40.41-45
October	37.35	37.38B
December	37.23	37.28

B—Bid.

### New Orleans Spot Cotton

New Orleans, Feb. 7. (AP)—Spot cotton closed steady 25 cents a bale higher. Sales 1,768. Low middling 37.55; middling 41.55; good middling 42.55. Receipts 8,704. Stock 272,983.

### STEALS THUNDER

Loup City, Neb., (AP)—The Rev. Culver J. Warner, pastor of Loup City's Methodist Church, announced his sermon topic for a coming Sunday would be "The Creative Process." But on the Saturday before the sermon, Mrs. Warner stole his thunder. She presented him with a 7½-pound daughter.

### THIS WEEK'S SPECIAL

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## Palm Beach Open In Second Round

Palm Beach, Fla., Feb. 7. (AP)—A match between the medalist, Grace DeMoss, Corvallis, Ore., and Kathy McKinnon, Lake Worth, Fla., highlighted today's second round in the Palm Beach Women's Amateur Golf Tournament.

Miss DeMoss eliminated Mrs. G. W. Labisky, Columbus, O. 7 and 6, in yesterday's opening round. Miss McKinnon took a 6 and 5 decision over Jane Nelson of Indianapolis.

Two 18-hole rounds today will reduce the field to semifinals.

All first-round matches except one went true to the form established in qualifying play. A mild upset was the victory of Betty Knoedler, Pittsburgh, over Helen Hampton, Signal Mountain, Tenn., 1-up on the 19th. Miss Hampton qualified with 82, Miss Knoedler with 87.

Defending Champion Polly Riley, Fort Worth, scored a 3 and 2 victory over Mrs. George Wilcox, Miami.

### Wayland College Entered In Women's Cage Tourney

Wichita, Kas., Feb. 7. (AP)—Wayland College of Plainview, Texas, 1951 runner-up team, is one of nine listed for the National AAU Women's Basketball Tournament, opening here March 23.

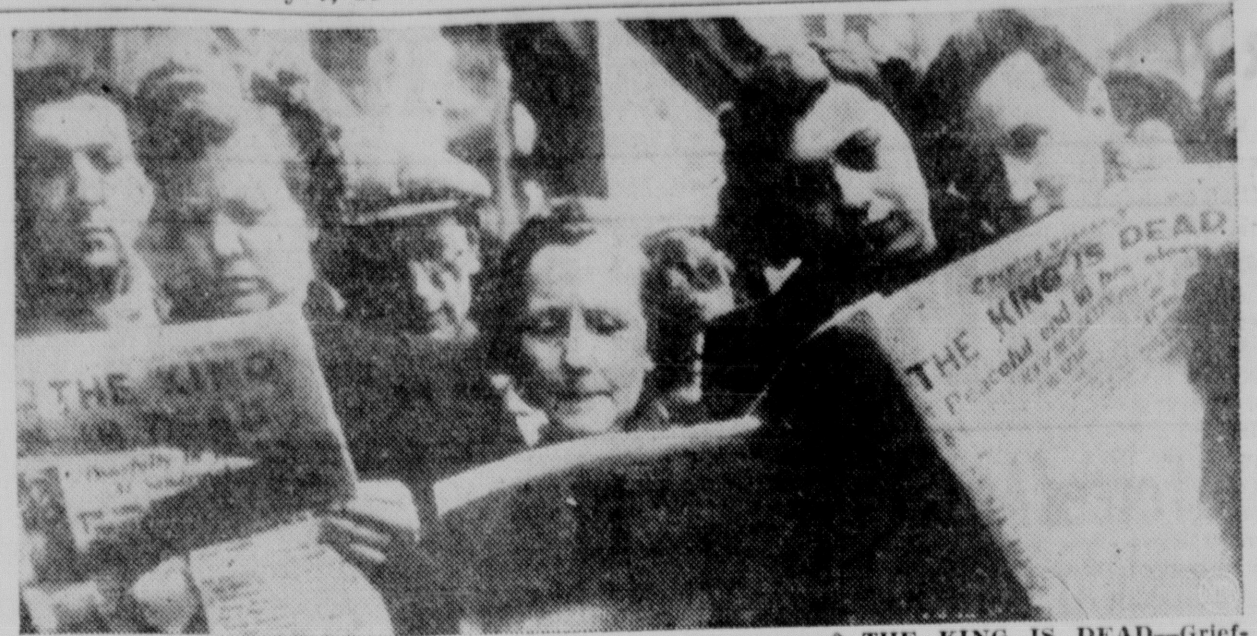
Mrs. Irvin Van Blarcom said yesterday the defending champs, Winston Salem, N. C., Hanes, and the runner-up were automatically qualified for the 7-day event.

Mrs. Blarcom is National AAU Women's Basketball chairman. Winners of championship tournaments of the following AAU associations will qualify also to the national tourney.

Southern at New Orleans, Southwestern at Dallas, Gulf at Houston, Southern Texas at San Antonio, and Northwest Texas at Amarillo, among others.

### CONVICTED OF SPYING

London, Feb. 7. (AP)—Five more Czech Nationals convicted of spying for the U. S. have been executed in Prague, Moscow Radio said today. Their deaths brought to more than 130 the announced executions on such charges in Communist countries since October.



**THE KING IS DEAD**—Grief-stricken Londoners crowd the streets reading the news of the death of King George VI who died in his sleep at his country home, Sandringham.

## County Briefs

### FARMERS VALLEY

Farmers Valley—Mr. and Mrs. Jack Phillips and sons attended the Phillips reunion last Sunday at the home of his father and mother, Mr. and Mrs. Aron Phillips, near Chillicothe.

Mr. and Mrs. Hugh Rape left Wednesday for Los Angeles, California, on a business trip. They will also visit friends.

Mrs. W. J. Matney and grandson, Danny Chapman, spent last week with Mrs. Matney's daughter, and Mrs. Jack Phillips and family.

Mr. and Mrs. James Pannell and daughter, Jimmie Sue of Fargo, attended church at Prairie View Sunday and were guests in the home of Mr. and Mrs. Arthur Duckworth. Other visitors were Mr. and Mrs. M. L. Graham and girls.

Mrs. J. E. Brock visited Mr. and Mrs. Elmer Reynolds of Chillicothe last Friday.

Mr. and Mrs. H. G. Draper of Dallas visited his parents, Mr. and Mrs. I. G. Draper, over the week-end.

The Women's Society of Christian Service met Tuesday at the Farmers Valley Methodist Church. They began a study on "We Americans, North and South" and "He Wears Orchids." Mrs. Ahlman, the pastor's moth-

er, gave the study. Mrs. Leon Rape and Mrs. Jack Phillips, will give the study next Tuesday. There were eight members and one visitor present.

Mr. and Mrs. J. J. Frost left Wednesday to visit Mrs. Frost's mother, Mrs. J. M. Reynolds of Kermit. They will also visit Mr. and Mrs. Jimmie Charles of Bovina and will attend the wedding of their niece, Mrs. Joe Adkinson, February 14th, at the First Methodist Church in Amherst. The groom-elect is Davis May, a nephew of Davis May of Vernon. Stanford Hammack, student at Texas Tech in Lubbock, spent the week-end with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Buford Hammack.

### CONGRESSMEN VETO IQ TEST

New York, (AP)—Congressmen don't always agree, but 25 of them recently were unanimous in turning down an invitation to take an intelligence quiz.

The 28-question test, prepared at the request of a magazine (WHY) by a psychological-testing bureau, was submitted to the group of House and Senate members. Typical queries were "Who wrote the Declaration of Independence?" and "Who is the prime minister of Iran?"

Editors of the publication said the lawmakers were explicit and vehement in their reactions. The names of the Congressmen were not disclosed.

### Hospital Briefs---

#### Admissions:

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Mrs. D. W. Davidson.  
Mrs. Kenneth Dockery.  
Mrs. E. T. Trout.  
Paula Ann Schwede.  
Mrs. Connie Anderson.  
Mrs. V. D. Lawis.  
Frank Ketchersid.  
Rosemary Jones.  
G. L. Robinson.  
Mrs. Faye Jackson.  
H. P. Monts.  
Sandra K. Williams.  
Steve Williams.  
Mrs. Cecil Bell.  
Mrs. G. T. Featherston.  
Mrs. Edgar Tigrett.

#### Dismissals:

Mrs. Amelia Minarik.  
Mrs. Grady Taylor.  
Mrs. S. L. Cooper and baby boy.  
Mrs. G. T. Stone.  
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## Proposal for Use of Oil Revenue Gets Endorsement

Washington, Feb. 7. (AP)—A proposal to use oil revenues from off-shore coastal areas for a Federal aid-to-education program today received the endorsement of a college president and a prominent newspaperman.

Dr. Robert L. Stearnes, University of Colorado president, and Dr. Benjamin Fine, New York Times education editor, were among the first of a score of witnesses called by a Senate interior committee to testify on the controversial tidelands issue expected to be taken up by the Senate next week.

They expressed hope Senator Hill, Democrat, Alabama, will be successful when he offers an aid-to-education amendment to the pending tidelands control resolution.

The measure gives the Secretary of Interior tentative control of the disputed territory until a final settlement is reached. It also puts Federal revenues from the tidelands in escrow until a permanent solution is found.

The interior committee already has reported out a resolution sponsored by its chairman, Senator O'Mahoney, Democrat, Wyoming.

The bill and O'Mahoney amendments are alike in that they would give the Federal Government control of the submerged lands from the coastline to the edge of the continental shelf, and would give the States 37½ per cent of the revenues from oil and gas development from the coastline out for three miles from their respective shorelines.

The differences is that, instead of impounding the Federal money, Hill proposes that immediately and in the future it would be allocated to the States for primary, secondary and high educational purposes.

Senators who have publicly endorsed the Hill proposal include: Douglas, Democrat, Illinois; Morse, Republican, Oregon; Benton, Democrat, Connecticut; Tobey, Republican, New Hampshire; Kefauver, Democrat, Tennessee; Neely, Democrat, West Virginia; Sparkman, Democrat, Alabama; Humphrey,

Democrat, Minnesota; Hennings, Democrat, Missouri; and Chavez, Democrat, New Mexico.

Organizations which Hill said had notified him of their endorsement of the proposal include the American Council on Education, American Federation of Teachers, American Library Association, National Grange, National Farmers Union, CIO, AFL and Textile Workers Union of America.

Supporters of outright State ownership of the tidelands are expected to offer an amendment on the Senate floor to the O'Mahoney resolution.

They will seek something like the House-passed bill which gives the States all of the revenues from lands beneath marginal seas for a distance of three miles (10½ miles in the case of Texas because of conditions under which it entered the Union) and 37½ of all the revenues from the State limit seaward.

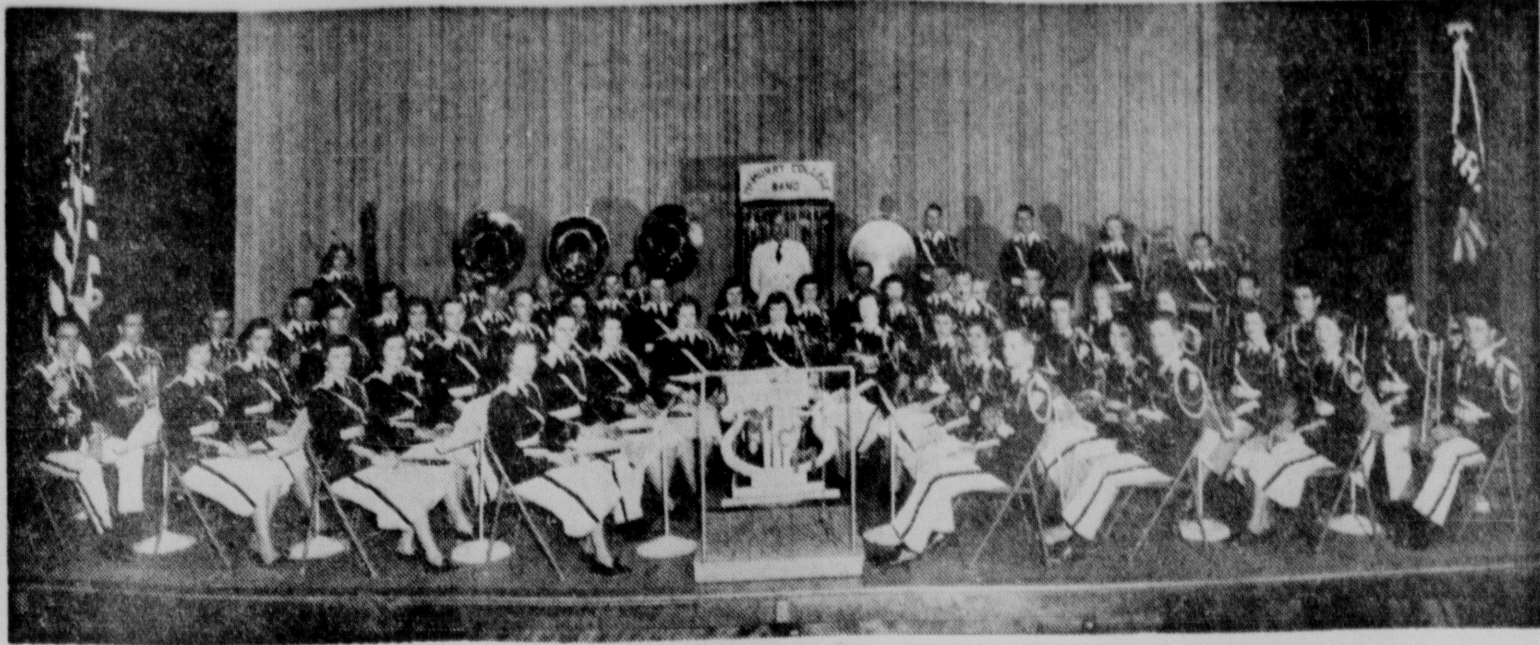
Some of the State ownership backers say they will be glad to get through a measure giving the States control of the area out to three miles—letting the Federal Government have all the revenues from the three-mile limit seaward. This is substantially the provisions of a bill sponsored by Senator Holland, Democrat, Florida.

### HEARING SCHEDULED

Santa Fe, N. M., Feb. 7. (AP)—A public hearing has been scheduled Feb. 25 on the New Mexico-Texas pact by which both states exempt the other's trucks from taxes. New Mexico tax and highway officials say their state is losing \$146,000 to \$300,000 a year because Texas trucks outnumber New Mexico trucks. The pact was negotiated in 1948. Under it New Mexico commercial vehicles have been allowed to operate on Texas highways without buying a Texas license or paying a mileage tax. Texas trucks operate similarly in New Mexico.

### LOAN APPROVED

Washington, Feb. 7. —A loan of \$543,000 to XIT Rural Telephone Cooperative of Dalhart was approved yesterday by the REA.



## Denison Man Is Held on Kidnap Count

Antlers, Okla., Feb. 7. (AP)—John Burke French, Jr., 42, Denison, Texas, was in jail at Hugo today after arraignment here on Federal kidnaping charges.

French was identified by a Durant physician, Dr. Leroy Engles, as the gunman who last November kidnaped the doctor, forced him to give him an injection of narcotics and robbed him.

FBI Agent Leo Uselding, Durant, filed kidnaping charges and French was arraigned before U. S. Commissioner E. E. Dudley.

Dudley set French's bond at \$10,000 and he was taken to Hugo to await transfer to Muskogee for Federal grand jury action. Bryan County Sheriff Bill Barker said French was arrested yesterday after a wild, 100-mile-an-hour chase by highway police. He was caught only after his car ran into a ditch near Caddo after two police bullets struck it.

Patrolman Luzon Smith said the chase started when French's auto passed him north of Durant and spurred ahead on U. S. 69.

Smith radioed for help when he couldn't catch the speeding car. Troopers Floyd Brown and Garland Peck joined the chase, fired three times and forced French into a ditch when he attempted a sharp turn. He was caught 30 minutes after fleeing into Caddo on Feb. 6.

Dr. Engles was kidnaped when he answered a night call to meet a man at a house in Durant, where—when he arrived—he was forced back into his auto and ordered to drive north of Durant.

There the physician was forced to give the abductor a shot of narcotics. Then the armed man forced Dr. Engles to drive to Denison, where Dr. Engles was robbed before the man left afoot.

### Special Train Headed For New York Thursday

Fort Worth, Feb. 7. (AP)—An M-K-T special train, loaded with Republicans and some Democrats, was en route to New York and an "Ike for President" rally today.

The train which left Fort Worth at 5:45 p. m. yesterday is due in New York City at 8:30 a. m. tomorrow. Some 182 Texans, including the 45-member Hardin-Simmons Cowboy Band from Abilene, were aboard.

The train was to pick up a couple of Eisenhower boosters at Denison, Gen. Eisenhower's birthplace, and one each at Durant and Muskogee, Okla.

The group is scheduled to leave New York Sunday morning.

### AREA EXTENDED

Washington, Feb. 7. (AP)—Extension of the critical housing area at Lone Star, Texas, was announced yesterday by the Defense Production Administration. The area was extended to take in Precincts 2, 6 and 8, including Ore City in Upshur County. Such critical housing areas are eligible for relaxation of housing credit controls and may get rent controls.

### FACES MURDER CHARGE

Waco, Feb. 7. (AP)—A charge of murder has been lodged against Tommy Porter, 46, Waco carpenter, in the death of another carpenter, Walter William Bradley, 57, died Tuesday night of injuries received in a fall down hotel stairs. Assistant District Attorney Burney Walker, who filed the murder charge, said Porter claimed the fall was accidental.

### 4-H CLUB WEEK

Austin, Feb. 7. (AP)—Texans will observe 4-H Club Week March 1-8 in recognition of the youth's organization's work to further better homemaking, farming and citizenship. The observance was officially designated by Gov. Allan Shivers yesterday.

### RECORD BROKEN

Pasadena, Texas, Feb. 7. (AP)—When Robert A. White, 70, was killed by an automobile yesterday it ended a 291-day period in this city of 26,000 without a traffic fatality.



CHECK POINTS?—UN truce team, in order to insure complete cessation of hostilities, has suggested that neutral observers be stationed at Korean cities indicated on above Newsmag. The Allies hope that continual inspection would prevent a military build-up by either side. Curving black line across 38th parallel is proposed armistice line separating North and South Korea.

### Former PMA Employee Posts \$1,500 Bond

Dallas, Feb. 7. (AP)—Former Production and Marketing Administration aid Jack Cowart posted a \$1,500 temporary bond before a U. S. Commissioner here yesterday following his Tuesday indictment on charges of defrauding the government.

Cowart appeared at the commissioner's office, he said, after reading of the indictment in the newspaper. He declined to make a statement.

Commissioner W. Madden Hill said the bond was set until a warrant for Cowart's arrest is received. He was indicted by a federal grand jury at Newport News, Va., Tuesday. Hearing on an indictment bond will be held in Dallas Feb. 14.

The indictment charged him with receiving \$1,734 from a Tyler firm which had a claim against a Department of Agriculture agency.

The charge said Cowart allegedly collected money for services rendered for the Agriculture Department for the Tyler firm.

### Housing Project To Be Dedicated Saturday

Fort Hood, Feb. 7. (AP)—A \$4,470,000 housing project named after Lt. Gen. Walton H. Walker, Texas Army leader who was killed in Korea, will be dedicated Saturday.

Walker, former ghost corps leader in World War II and commanding officer of the Eighth Service Command in Dallas, was killed in a jeep accident in Korea. He was commanding general of the Eighth Army at the time.

The housing project, for military personnel, will be called "Walker Village."

Mrs. Walker and her son, Capt. Sam S. Walker, will attend the ground breaking and dedication ceremonies.

## Indian Band To Appear In Concert

Abilene.—James Pollard, McMurry College student from Vernon, will be in a featured trio of trumpets when the Indian band appears in concerts at Throckmorton and Crowell, Feb. 11.

Under the direction of Raymond T. Bynum, the approximately 50 musicians will give a program at the Throckmorton High School in the afternoon and then journey to Crowell for a night concert.

Pollard, along with David Barrios of Breckenridge and Tommy Fry of Sweetwater, will be presented in a number entitled, "The Three Jacks."

Another highlight of the programs will be a quartet made up of four French horn players, Teddy James of Wellington, Doris Johnson, Andrews, Betty Widener, Abilene and Wayne Parker, Seminole.

Two soloists will also share in the featured spot. They are Servando Trevino of Santa Barbara, Chihuahua, Mexico, on the xylophone and Gary Zook of Floresville in a saxophone solo.

Probable numbers by the entire band will be "Emblem of Unity," a march; "Wanderer's Call," an overture; a novelty selection of "Coming Round the Mountain," plus "Battle Hymn of the Republic," featuring the Band's Chorus of about 20 voices.

### MAY CURB PRICES

Mexico City, Feb. 7. (AP)—A price control official said yesterday prices of cigarettes, matches, fish and canned meat may be rolled back if the ceilings are lowered, it will be the first such action in Mexico's 10-year losing battle against rising prices.

## Drouth Keeps Firm Hold on Dry Texas

(By The Associated Press)

Rising temperatures and cloudless, dust-flecked skies Thursday reminded Texans it was a long time between rains.

The months-long drouth, broke only by occasional drizzles and showers, continued unchecked with no relief in sight. A country farm agents meeting in San Angelo called it the most vicious since 1886.

Skies were to turn partly cloudy and moderate northerly winds were to become variable Friday, the Weather Bureau said, but no rain was foreseen.

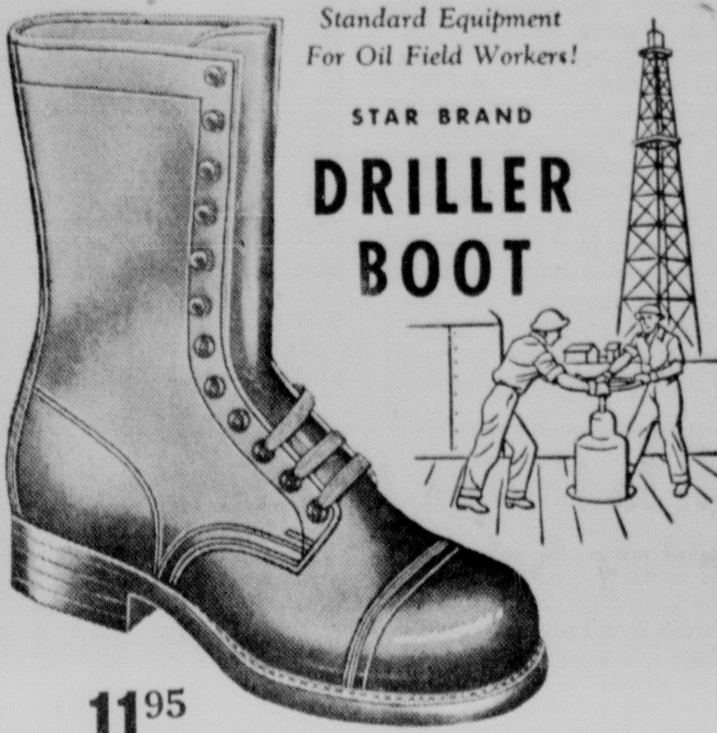
Traces of blowing dust yesterday were reported in West Texas and were not regarded as serious or widespread by the Weather Bureau. "Just another sign of thirsty soil on the plains," a spokesman said.

Faced with high feed bills, West Texans had cut many herds to essential breeding animals only. Raising livestock feed in the dry, powdery earth is impossible. Except on irrigated land, the last two crops have been flops in the Edwards Plateau region.

A. B. Ford, San Saba, in the "heart of Texas" region where sheep and cattle once were abundant, said wells and springs never known to go dry are drying up.

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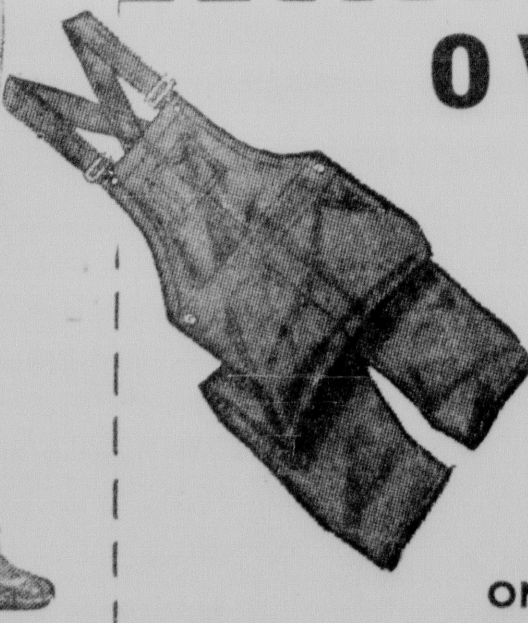
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## Court Rules on Charge by City

Austin, Feb. 7. (AP)—The Supreme Court split 5-4 today in ruling the City of Texarkana is without authority to charge higher water and sewage disposal rates outside the city than it charges within the city unless it can show reasonable basis for the difference.

The majority opinion, by Associate Justice Clyde Smith, held the limits of a municipal corporation, of themselves, do not furnish a reasonable basis for rate differentiation.

Trial court had upheld the city's ordinance setting up rates outside the city 1/2 times those of the city rates. The Court of Civil Appeals reversed and remanded the trial court decision.

The Supreme Court upheld the Civil Appeals Court, declaring the city's ordinance void "unless the city can show, on another trial, that there is some reasonable basis for the difference in rates which it establishes."

"The common law rule that one engaged in rendering a service affected with a public interest or, more strictly, what has come to be known as a utility service, may not discriminate in charges or service at between persons similarly situated is of such long standing and is so well recognized that it needs no citation of authority to support it," the governing opinion said.



**MINIATURE FARM**—The scale-model farm which he built for \$40 and a lot of after-school hours, indicates Colwell Dickson, 15, of Millbrook, N. Y., has considerable farming knowledge and engineering skill. Model tractors, loaders, wagons, silo fillers were all built by the lad whose tiny farm also includes a completely wired barn and shed.

## Zion Lutheran Celebrates Sunday School Birthday

On Feb. 3 Zion Lutheran Church of Lockett observed the 25th anniversary of its Sunday School. The Rev. M. L. Koehnke of Austin, Educational Counselor of the Texas District of the Lutheran Church-Missouri Synod, preached the anniversary sermon at the 11 o'clock service.

It was on February 1927 that the first Sunday School session was held in Zion Lutheran Church. The Rev. L. Helmeier, now deceased, was pastor of Zion congregation at that time. The first Sunday School teachers were Ed Haseloff, Mrs. Robert Streit, Mrs. Arthur Bruns, Mrs. Gertrude Wiederaenders and Arthur Schoppa. Two of the above, Mr. Haseloff and Mrs. Streit, are still members of Zion congregation. Mrs. Streit enjoys the distinction of having been on the teaching staff throughout the 25 years of the Sunday School's existence. Mr. Haseloff relinquished his teaching duties a few years ago in order to assume another important position in the congregation.

Another of our present teachers whose record of service began in January of 1933 is Mrs. Edwin W. Foerster.

The congregation, in a brief ceremony following the morning service, honored these teachers for

their long years of faithful service to the Sunday School. William Haseloff, chairman of the congregation, presented Mrs. Streit with a beautiful framed picture of Christ the Good Shepherd. Ed Haseloff and Mrs. Foerster were likewise remembered with framed pictures of Sallman's Christ.

The Ladies' Aid of Zion congregation decorated the church for the occasion with baskets of carnations and provided corsages for Mrs. Streit and Mrs. Foerster and a boutonniere for Mr. Haseloff. Other floral decorations for the church were provided by Mr. and Mrs. Paul Schoppa and Mr. and Mrs. E. E. Wiederaenders.

The anniversary service was further enhanced by three songs which were sung by the children of the Sunday School. In the evening at 6:30 a covered dish supper was held in honor of all members of Zion congregation who have served on the Sunday School staff in the past and who are now serving as teachers and officers. The Rev. E. R. Rathgeber, present pastor of Zion congregation, served as master of ceremonies and the Rev. M. L. Koehnke was the featured speaker of the evening. Other numbers on the program were the following: A History of Our Sunday School, compiled by Mr. Ed Haseloff; Vocal numbers by a trio consisting of Mrs. Louis Kieschnick, Mrs. Lorine Foerster and Miss Leona Schur; Piano selections by Beryl Jean Streit; Accordion numbers by Audrey Ruth Green; and a humorous reading by Mrs. Otto Streit.

Teachers who are now serving on the staff of Zion Sunday School are the following: Mrs. Robert Streit, Mrs. Edwin Foerster, Mrs. Clarence Green, Miss Leona Schur, Mrs. Lorine Foerster, Mrs. Robert Rummel, Mrs. W. F. Gallmeier, Mrs. Otto Streit and Mrs. Leroy Schulz; Walter Kieschnick is serving as superintendent.

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### BECOMES PRODUCER

Lufkin, Feb. 7. (AP)—Angelina County's recent wildcat oil discovery became a producer yesterday, quieting pessimism over a salt-water problem. The "La Angelina County Lumber Company" seven miles southeast of Lufkin was estimated to be flowing ten barrels of 41-gravity oil per hour on a 10-65th-inch choke with a 500-pound working pressure. The wildcat is on land owned by the Angelina Lumber Company and was first brought in Jan. 23. Salt water plagued drillers until Sunday when the well was put on "cement."

### ASKS TAX REPEAL

Miami Beach, Fla., Feb. 7. (AP)—The American Federation of Labor's executive council, closing its annual midwinter meeting, today called for repeal of numerous excise taxes. The council wants excise taxes removed on amusements, transportation, communications, cosmetics, leather goods and other goods and services. It said these taxes fall heaviest on those least able to pay them and "have a strangling effect on business." The council also asked that a program be authorized by Congress to provide 135,000 low rent public housing units.

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## Two Truck Lines Sign Wage Pacts

(By The Associated Press)

Two truck lines operating in the Southwest signed agreements with striking AFL drivers yesterday, but today some 21 carriers still were strikebound.

Chairman Frank E. Bacon of the Southwest Operators Association said last night the carriers "cannot meet the union demands because we will be confronted with an immediate 15 to 20 per cent increase in wage costs."

Negotiations aimed at settling the five-day strike, he said, had recessed with "absolutely no progress made."

Meanwhile, however, Jesse Wallace of the AFL Teamsters Union in Dallas, said picket lines were withdrawn from Southwest offices of the Yellow Transit Freight Co. and Luper Transportation Co. The firms began operations at

once. Wallace said the firms agreed to union terms.

Yellow Transit drivers also went back to work in Fort Worth but Glenn Bailey, union business agent, said picket lines would remain up at 12 other firms.

Bacon said increased costs for the motor freight lines would rise to 30 per cent in three years if all the union's demands are met.

He said the proposed wage hikes would call for immediate 15 to 20 per cent freight rate increases. "About 21 carriers in the Southwest and 70 in the Southeast are refusing to meet union terms because we see no reason why freight rates should be increased and further jeopardize the economy of the nation," Bacon said.

Federal mediators in Memphis, Tenn., said last night they had given up the attempt to work out a settlement. D. Y. Heafner, chairman of the mediation panel, said neither side had offered any change in their wage stands.

## Brannan Will Be Queried by Panel

Washington, Feb. 7. (AP)—A meeting of the House Agriculture Committee is scheduled tomorrow to ask Secretary of Agriculture Brannan why he believes necessary a 16-million-bale cotton crop this year.

Rep. Cooley (D-N.C.), chairman of the House group, said yesterday:

"He (Brannan) will be asked also what risks may be involved for the farmer in producing a crop of this size, and what, if any, action he believes to be necessary on the part of the department to assure this production."

The 1951 crop, Cooley said, is estimated now at 15,300,000 bales. Previously, the crop had been estimated by U. S. Department of

Agriculture officials at 17 million bales.

He added that government forecasts of the cotton crop, followed by price declines, are still remembered by farmers.

And he added: "Labor, fertilizer, insecticides and equipment x x are going to cost more in 1952 than they did in 1951. Domestic cotton consumption is x x x considerably lower than x x x a year ago."

### INVITED TO AUSTIN

Washington, Feb. 7. (AP)—Texas Atty. Gen. Price Daniel, a candidate for U. S. Senator, yesterday invited evangelist Billy Graham to hold a revival in Austin. C. T. Johnson, representing the Austin Ministerial Alliance, joined Daniel in the invitation to the Baptist evangelist. Daniel has attended a meeting of the executive board of the National Association of Attorney Generals here. Graham will end a month-long revival in Washington this week.

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# Debate on Public School Issue Draws Large Crowd

By MARTHA COLE

McAllen, Feb. 7. (AP)—The man who met R. C. Hoiles in a public debate on the morality of tax-supported public schools declared Hoiles could leave the country any time he wanted to.

"But it is the moral duty of a man to stay here and not to run away from something he thinks is wrong," Hoiles replied.

He drew applause then from a jammed auditorium at McAllen High School last night. Some 1,500 listened.

His opponent, Radio Station Owner Roy Hofheinz, 39, formerly of Houston, now a Harlingen resident of several months, drew frequent applause and occasional cheers in his defense of public schools.

They met for the second consecutive night in a public debate on the question. Tuesday night they met before some 3,500 persons in McAllen High School football stadium.

Hoiles bought three Valley newspapers last Fall—the Valley Evening Monitor in McAllen, the Valley Morning Star in Harlingen and the Brownsville Evening Herald.

Rumblings of protest began after he ran editorials attacking the morality of tax-supported schools.

In the question and answer barrage arranged for last night, Hofheinz asked Hoiles: "Do you think it right for owners of the controlling stock to control your newspapers?"

"Yes, sir," replied Hoiles.

"Does your family own controlling stock?" Hofheinz asked.

"Yes, sir."

"Do you think exercise of the majority vote is immoral?"

And Hoiles replied: "Control should be in proportion to the sacrifice put in."

"If they didn't like it, they could get out," Hofheinz added.

"Yes," Hoiles replied.

"But they wouldn't have to leave the country."

Hoiles declared any taxation is an initiation of force.

Hofheinz said the obligation of citizenship is either paying taxes or leaving the country.

Declared Hoiles:

"Schools, like churches, should be supported on a voluntary basis. If government churches are right and moral, then government schools would be also. Nobody is denied entrance into voluntary supported churches because of finances. Do you believe in government churches?"

Hofheinz replied: "No."

"Isn't a person entitled to choose the kind of education he sees fit?" Hoiles asked.

"Yes, and you've been privileged to enjoy it," Hofheinz replied.

Loud applause and cheers followed.

Later Hofheinz declared the obligation of citizenship in the U. S. is either paying taxes or leaving the country.

"Has anybody told you that you have to remain a citizen of the United States?" Hofheinz asked.

"No, but I have a right to protest," Hoiles replied.

Then Hoiles declared "It is the moral duty of a man to stay here and not to run away from something he thinks is wrong."

A few persons in the back applauded—the only time Hoiles was interrupted with applause.



**GAVEL FOR NERVO**—As the final UN Session comes to a close in Paris, France, Secretary General Trygve Lie, right, presents Dr. Luis Padilla, last president of the General Assembly, with a souvenir gavel.

## Murder Charges Filed in Death

Gainesville, Feb. 7. (AP)—Murder charges have been filed against two men who claimed they shot another to death after surprising a prowler at a filling station.

Joe Flusche and Jimmie Lehnert posted \$2,000 bonds yesterday after being charged in the death of J. B. Posey, 25, H. B. Posey, brother of the slain man, signed complaints against the pair.

Flusche and Lehnert told officers Saturday they fired on a prowler at Lehnert's filling station and then chased him in their autos when he fled.

Posey was found in the wreckage of a car he was driving after it struck a bridge railing four miles east of Nocona. He died a few hours later in a Nocona hospital.

Dr. R. A. Major said Posey died of a bullet wound. He was struck in the left shoulder by a slug which ranged through his lung and into his stomach.



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**AMATEUR TOREADORS**—Grace Hill, right, a 17-year-old El Paso, Texas High School senior in the bull ring during her "spontaneous" appearance in the Tauramaquia Club's amateur corrida in Juarez, Mexico. Grace jumped the fourth bull of the days fight using just a cape. "It was a poor bull—he wouldn't charge at all," she said. "I screamed so much at the bull I'll be hoarse for a week." Amateur Matador Harry Reed, from San Diego, Calif., flies through the air as he loses round one with his bull during amateur bullfights in the Juarez bullring.

**EXAMINATIONS SET**  
Austin, Feb. 7. (AP)—Examinations to qualify the first licensed vocational nurses in Texas will be held April 26. The examinations, required under a new state law, were announced by Mrs. Josie Roberts of Houston, secretary of the State Board of Vocational Nurse Examiners. Applicants must be graduates of a 12-month training course in an accredited school. Mrs. Roberts urged schools to seek accreditation by the board in time for their graduates to take the examinations.

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## Charges Filed Against Union

Dallas, Feb. 7. (AP)—The Southwest Operators Association has filed unfair labor practice charges against the AFL Teamsters Union claiming it had not bargained in good faith in a strike idling 8,000 truck line workers in the Southwest.

The Association acted last night for strikebound motor carriers after negotiations at Memphis, Tenn., broke down.

Association Attorney Carl Phinney said the charge was filed with the regional National Labor Relations Board in Fort Worth. Phinney said the union refused to compromise on the wage issue.

The attorney said none of the Association member lines whose workers have returned to their jobs actually signed contracts with the union, only agreeing to sign whatever settlement is reached between the union and the truckers' association.

Some trucks with ammunition and airplane parts remained tied up today as the strike kept 17 lines idle in the Southwest.

One line said it had 35 trailers at its docks that had not been unloaded. One contained airplane parts for a Fort Worth plant. The same line said it had a load of ammunition en route to the West Coast tied up at Muskogee, Okla., and other Government shipments at El Paso and Oklahoma City.

Dock workers, who belong to the same union, have refused to cross picket lines to unload the shipments or to transfer them to other trucks.

A union official listed the following lines as having settled on the teamsters' terms:

Viking Express, Luper Transportation Co., Yellow Transit, Brown Express, Roadway Express, Riss, Santa Fe, Frisco and Consolidated Forwarding.

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### CHARGE OF VENUE

Crockett, Feb. 7. (AP)—A change of venue has sent the murder trial of Jake Dominey, 21, to Henderson. Dominey was charged with murder in the death of Alta Faye Rodgers, 19, a Kinnard High School senior shot to death in a Kinnard cafe last September. Dist. Judge V. M. Johnston ordered the change of venue yesterday after it was requested by Dominey's attorneys. Last month, a Houston County jury found Dominey "not insane" at the time of the murder.

### NAMED TO BOARD

Washington, Feb. 7. (AP)—E. B. Germany, Dallas, yesterday was named to a ten-member national advisory board of the small defense plants administration.

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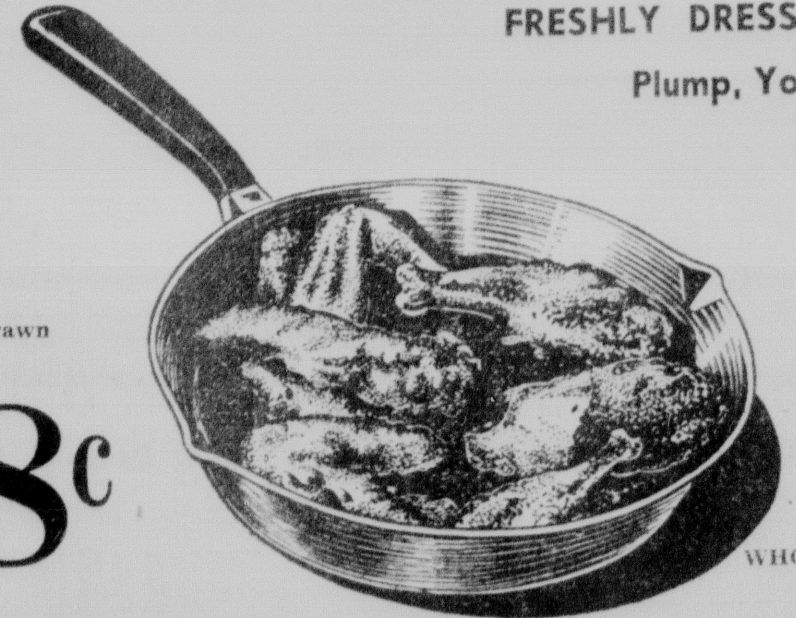
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## Faulty Construction of Vet Housing Is Being Charged

Washington, Feb. 7. (AP)—New houses bought by veterans under government-guaranteed loans began to crack and come apart within a year, Rep. Lyle (D-Tex.) said today.

With several other Congressmen, Lyle was invited to lay his criticisms before a House banking subcommittee which opened hearings yesterday on widespread charges of faulty construction by builders and lax inspection by government agents.

Lyle told of some "heart sickening" experiences while investigating housing purchased by some 25 veterans around Corpus Christi, Texas.

"These boys with young wives and a baby or two had put every available dime into these houses," he said in an interview. "Yet less than a year after they had bought them the foundations were coming out from under them, the walls were cracking, the refrigerators were sinking through the floors and the baseboards were coming away from the walls."

"The builders wouldn't do anything about it, and the Veterans Administration said it couldn't."

"It isn't right to lead these people to believe their government is standing behind them on their house purchases, if it isn't."

The investigating subcommittee headed by Rep. Rains (D-Ala.) has received a number of complaints from purchasers of homes with mortgages guaranteed either by the Veterans Administration (VA) or the Federal Housing Administration (FHA).

In the opening session yesterday, officials of both those agencies described the systems they use to try to make sure the home owner gets what he pays for. In general, they said they believe their precautions sufficient, but they conceded there might be some instances where the purchaser might feel he had a just grievance.

Rains said it is obvious many of the new houses offered for sale now are inadequate to provide proper living quarters for American families. Ten years ago, he said, some of them wouldn't even have been considered sound garages, and he added there is danger they will turn into the "slums of tomorrow."

After initial studies here, the committee plans on-the-spot hearings in several sections of the country, starting next week in New Jersey. Other areas to be visited include Miami, Los Angeles, Michigan and Alabama.

## Graham Offers Sound Advice

Washington, Feb. 7. (AP)—Husbands and wives got advice from Evangelist Billy Graham last night on how to make their marriage a success.

The younger preacher addressed a capacity audience at the National Guard Armory in another of his five-week series of sermons. His capital crusade ends Feb. 17.

"The greatest problem for us today is the breakdown of the American home," Graham said. To wives he suggested: (1) Keep attractive, even if you have to use make-up; (2) Be well-read and mentally alert; (3) Be a good housekeeper, but don't bar children from playing in the home, and (4) Don't nag.

To husbands: (1) Be good providers and protectors; (2) Don't let your children "go to the dogs"; (3) Love and honor your wives, and (4) Be thoughtful and considerate.

### STUDY UNDER WAY

Washington, Feb. 7. (AP)—The Senate Banking Committee opens a public study today of whether private investors are putting up enough money to meet the nation's mortgage needs, especially in defense areas. Chairman Maybank (D-SC) said the three-day series of round table discussions would bring expressions from a number of the people who have money to lend, and of those who say it is too difficult to find anyone to take their government-insured mortgages. The Government insures a variety of housing projects for which banks, insurance companies and others put up the actual money.

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**A FLYING LESSON**—The youngsters on the sands at Clearwater, Fla., look as if they might be learning the motions of flying by watching the seagull in flight. The other birds, however, have gathered close to the little girls and look as if they're trying to learn something from them.

## 1951 Cotton Crop Below Average

How did cotton production in Wilbarger County during the 1951 season compare with production in other years?

County PMA Administrator T. L. McBride believes the 31,600 bales produced from some 90,000 acres seeded to the crop would rate 1951 as a "below average" year for cotton in the county.

He says that 40,000 bales is nearer what might normally be expected than the slightly more than one-third bale per acre which farmers produced during the past year.

Actually, no completely accurate figure on the per acre yield will be available for 1951. Since no cotton allotment program was in effect during the year, reporting of cotton acreages in the county has been on a strictly voluntary basis.

The PMA has asked farmers for cotton acreage estimates for their farms, however, and Mr. McBride says that 963 farmers out of a total of 1,200 have responded.

For the 963 farms, a total of 73,000 acres was reported planted to cotton last year.

This seems to bear out closely estimates of acreages made earlier last year, Mr. McBride said. The local Texas Employment Office, utilizing figures supplied by each of the eleven gins in the county, had estimated that 88,750 acres were devoted to cotton. Mr. McBride believes his final report will show this figure to be very close to right.

He is still seeking reports from some 235 farmers, however, both to complete his statistical survey and to complete the individual history of each of the farms in the event a cotton allotment program is adopted for the county again in the future.

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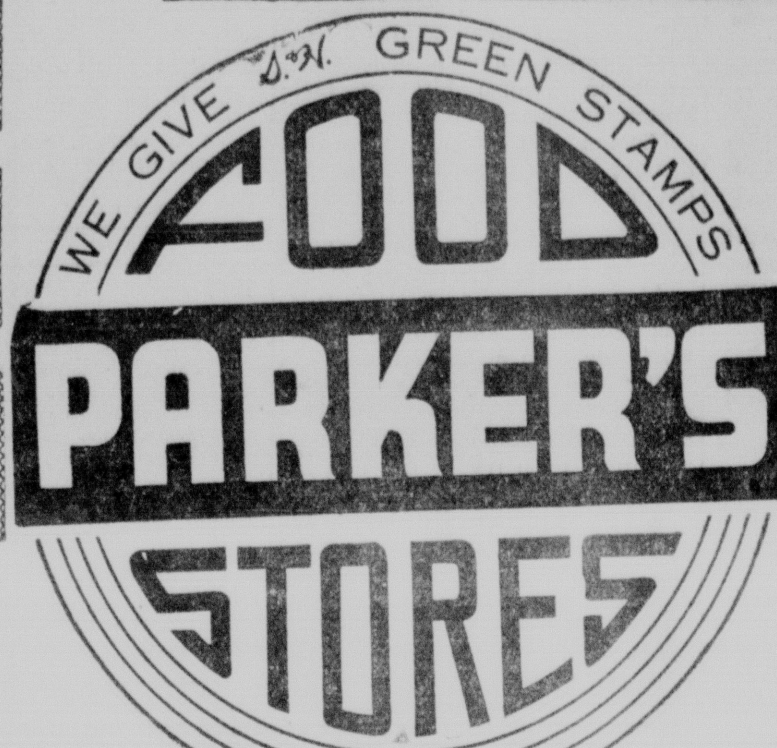
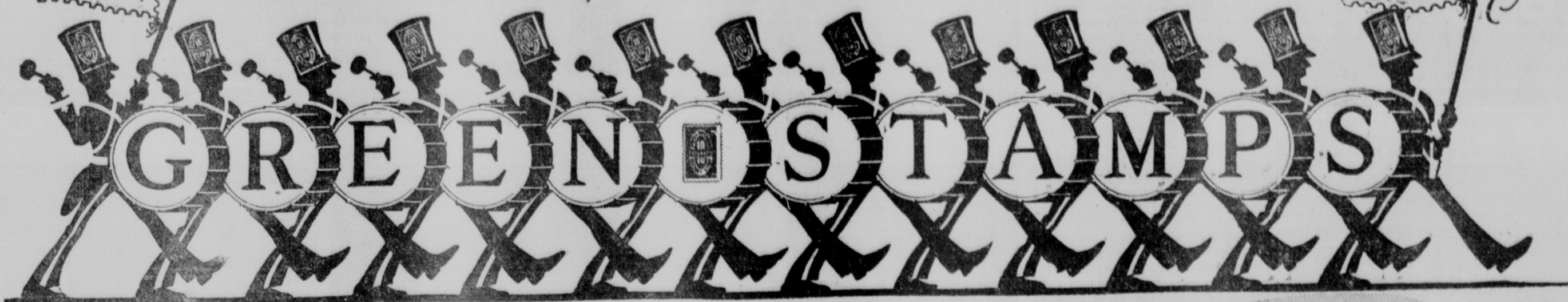
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**Off the Record**  
By  
**Bill Werley**  
Sports Editor

The Jaycee Jets outscored the Washington Bearcats 69-61 Wednesday night, but the Washington School gymnasium was actually the winner.

A total of \$130 in gate receipts and concessions was taken in at the contest which drew some 300 screaming fans. The money will go toward purchasing a clock-score-board.

Coach John B. Phillips is convinced that his team can beat the Jaycees and a return match will be slated within the next two weeks.

Coach Bob Percival led both teams in scoring, giving his Lion team members an exhibition in the finer arts of basketball. Chick Gates paced the Bearcats.

The Bearcats will enter a district play-off on Feb. 16 and if they win there will move into the State finals on Feb. 22.

The game Wednesday night proved a point.

Negroes and whites can compete in games together under the friendliest of terms. The fans, both Negro and whites enjoyed the game and the players were just as sportsmanlike to each other as any teams I've seen play this year.

Umpire William Nugent, one of the better umpires in the Longhorn League last season, has been purchased by the Big State League, according to Hal Sayles, Longhorn League president.

Among senior lettermen at Texas Tech is Pete Edwards of Vernon. Pistol Pete came out of junior college two years ago hailed as a great prospect. He played good ball for Tech in 1950, but had the misfortune to be playing the same position as Junior Arterburn this season and Arterburn developed into one of the best T-quarterbacks in Tech's history.

Add the name of Spot Collins, former Texas University star, to the list of those seeking the Vernon coaching job. Also Don Ezell, former Childress head coach.

There still has not been word from the School Board except to

# Valley View Can Win 28-B Cage Title Friday

## Harrold Has Chance for Possible Tie

The Friday night 28-B cage contests could mark the end of play for all practical purposes for Valley View could sew up the title by beating Odell Cowboys at Odell.

Valley View has already clinched a tie for the title and only Harrold has a chance to even tie with the Warriors. Should Odell beat Valley View Friday, then Harrold could tie by beating Valley View next Tuesday, providing Harrold gets by Northside Friday night.

Lockett and Oklaunion get together in a game with nothing at stake except prestige. Both are out of the running for the district title.

The Lockett girls team, unbeaten in eight straight contests, will meet Oklaunion girls Friday night, but will be eyeing their Tuesday night meeting with the once-beaten Northside girls in a game that will decide the league title.

The Northside girls will meet the Harrold girls and will be battling to hold the 7-1 record intact for a shot at the title against Lockett Friday.

All district play will end on Tuesday night. The district winner will then move into bi-district play.

### PROS AT WORK

Dallas, Feb. 7. (AP)—Jack Porter, head of the Texas Eisenhower-for-President drive, warned today that "professional money raisers" are soliciting funds for the Eisenhower campaign. Porter said yesterday "the persons are operating without authority from either the state or national Eisenhower organizations." He warned Texas backers of the general not to "contribute any money to persons unknown to them or persons not well known in their communities."

say that they are still studying the applicants.

Kernit Coach Dillman looks like the best bet at this stage of the game.

## TCU Defeats Aggies for League Tie

College Station, Feb. 7. (AP)—Texas Christian defeated the Texas A&M Aggies on their home court last night, 52-41, to regain a share in the Southwest Conference leadership with Texas.

The Frogs bounced back into the win column after losing successive games to Oklahoma City University and the University of Arkansas. And they did it mostly without the services of their conference scoring leader, giant Center George McLeod.

McLeod went out on personal fouls with two minutes left in the first quarter and the Frogs leading 12-6. He had made eight of those points himself with a field goal and six charities.

But the Aggies almost completely lost their eye for the basket in the second quarter and the Frogs, hitting their early season stride again, led, 25-15, at the half as the Aggies scored only three points in the second ten minutes.

The Christians led by as much as 19 points in the second half, but a late scoring burst by the Aggies against TCU subs cut the winning margin.

The Aggies went ahead briefly twice in the action-jammed first period, but were never able to get in striking distance after that disastrous second quarter.

McLeod's terrific scoring pace for the season was considerably slowed with his eight points in the contest, but he still leads the conference with 108 tallies in league play.

### IGNORES MCCARTHY

Waco, Feb. 7. (AP)—This morning's editions of the Waco News-Tribune said it "intends to completely ignore the public statements of Senator Joseph McCarthy (R-Wis.) henceforth." The paper said McCarthy's "nauseating and disgusting attempts to smear the characters of his fellow servants have long since ceased to be newsworthy."



**VERNON "B" SQUAD**—Five boys, all battling for positions on next season's varsity squad, make up one of the best B squads in years at Vernon. Shown here from left to right are Coach Clarence Booth, Eugene Reynolds, Robert Nannen, Cris Krebs, Jack Bolton and John Milner. All of the boys are considered top prospects for next year's Lion team.

## High-Scoring Cage Stars Guide Teams to Victory

New York, Feb. 7. (AP)—Scoring 20 points in a college basketball game used to be considered a feat.

Nowadays standout players generally are expected to score more than that. Otherwise it is said they "were held" in check.

Ernie Beck, Pennsylvania; Mark Workman, West Virginia; Chuck Grigsby, Dayton; Jack Molinas, Columbia; Lou Murgo, Brown; Frank Ramsey, Kentucky; Jim Tucker, Duquesne, and Jim Baechtold, Eastern Kentucky, all were in the outstanding category last night.

Beck set a new Eastern intercollegiate individual game mark of 45 points as the Quakers whipped Harvard, 82-48.

Workman got 35 points as West Virginia drubbed North Carolina, 80-65.

Ramsey helped Kentucky, the nation's No. 1 ranked team, crush Mississippi, 81-61, with 28 points. Duquesne remained in the unbeaten class, beating Niagara, 64-49, as Tucker came through with 24 points.

Grigsby helped Dayton make it ten in a row. He tallied 29 points as the Flyers nipped Louisville, 72-71. Molinas got 27 as Columbia licked Brown, 95-75.

Baechtold sank 27 points as Eastern Kentucky downed Tenn Tech, 63-52.

Texas Christian tied Texas for the lead in the Southwest Conference by beating Texas A&M, 52-41,

and California opened a Hawaiian tour by whipping Hawaii Univ., 72-46.

Once beaten Penn State made it 12 straight by taking Rutgers, 66-52, and Seton Hall, also only beaten once, whipped Fordham, 60-41.

In Southern Conference tilts, George Washington dumped the Citadel 73-64, and Virginia Tech beat Richmond, 60-54. In the SEC, Miss. State downed Florida, 72-58, and Georgia whipped Georgia Tech, 72-64.

Wisconsin, of the Big Ten, had tough going against Butler, but came through, 62-60.

Navy beat Pitt, 64-44, as Sophomore John Clune scored 12 points to set an all-time Naval Academy scoring record for one season of 339.

Bill Hannon's 21 points helped Army defeat Swarthmore, 56-46.

## Tribe Star Gets Salary Decrease

Miami Beach, Fla., Feb. 7. (AP)—Al Rosen took a cut where it hurt most—in the pay envelope—and determined to show the Cleveland Indians he is no .265 hitter.

The home run hitting third baseman beat the gun on Spring training in his home town. Each

morning you'll find him swinging away while strong armed kids take turns throwing at Flamingo Park.

"It was just a lousy ball player last year," he said. "I wouldn't have blamed Al Lopez for taking me out if he had anybody else to play. I just didn't belong in there."

Rosen's bat was silent when Cleveland needed it most—down the stretch.

Rosen has been trying to figure out his season-long slump. Since Bobby Feller came down to appear with Al on a sports and vacation show, they've been discussing the problem.

"Bob tells me I was uppercutting the ball," said Rosen. "I know I never hit so many pop flies in my life. Maybe I was subconsciously trying to be a home run king."

"I used to think if a fellow hit 24 home runs and drove in over 100 runs, he had a pretty good year. But I did that and now I know. It's the average that counts. It's fine to hit the homer and get the RBI's, but not if you hit only .265."

## American League Outfields Boasts Fine Rookie Crop

Chicago, Feb. 7. —A few of baseball's flowers that bloom in the Spring may also blossom in American League outfields this Summer.

The big league pace is fast for rookie outfielders, but the junior circuit has a flock whose minor league records indicate they'll make a good try to stick.

Take the St. Louis Browns. New Manager Rogers Hornsby will have an outfield battle among new comers that should resemble an Easter egg hunt.

Pride and joy of Hornsby is Jim Rivera, the Pacific Coast League batting champion from Seattle, who last season batted .352. He also led the league in runs, 135, hits, 231, and doubles, 40.

The Browns also have highly-touted Frank Saucier, Bob Nieman, Earl Rapp and Tom Wright. In 1950, Saucier hit .343 for San Antonio and was supposed to strike terror into the hearts of American League pitching last season but was a holdout.

Nieman hit two successive homers in his first two times at bat for the Browns late last season and knocked a .324 average for Tulsa and Oklahoma City. Rapp is a .322 hitter from Oakland. Wright had Boston Red Sox seasoning and comes from Louisville with a .282 mark.

The Red Sox have an outfield prospect in Jim Piersall with so much talent Manager Lou Boudreau may even try to get him in the lineup at shortstop.

Last year, Piersall played 17 games for Louisville, batting .310, and then transferred to Birmingham where he fashioned a .346 mark in 121 games. Veteran big leaguers say they've seldom seen a rookie do so many things well.

The championship Yankees may be concerned mainly with the scrap between Jack Jensen and Mickey Mantle for Joe Di Maggio's centerfield job. But they're bound to pay some heed, too, to Bob Cerv and Archie Wilson. Cerv was runner-up in American Association hitting with .344 for Kansas City.

Wilson, the international league's most valuable player, hit .316 in 151 games for Buffalo. He had the most RBI's, 112; most total bases, 328; most hits, 191; and 28 homers to share honors in that department.

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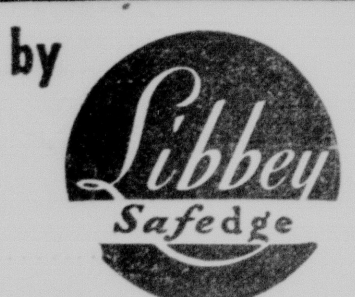
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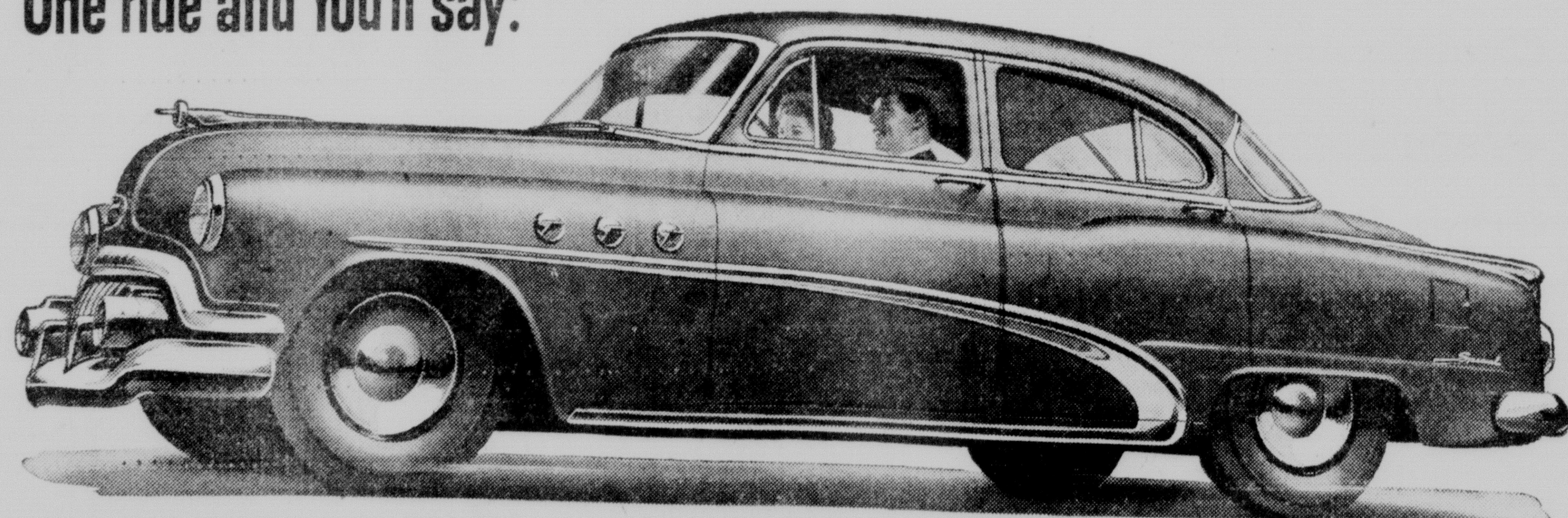
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# Lions Start Second 2-Day Road Trip

## Vernon to Play In Sweetwater And Big Spring

The Vernon Lions packed their duffel bags Thursday, bid a fond farewell to the friendly confines of Lion gym and started a two-day road trip that will see them meeting Sweetwater tonight.

The Lions always seem to have a little rougher time on the road than in the smaller Lion gymnasium. Of the eight games lost, five have been away from Vernon. They lost both games of their last two-day trip.

The Lions will journey to Big Spring for a Friday night tilt before returning to Vernon on Saturday.

The Lion-Mustang game is the only one on tap for Tuesday night, but all teams will see action on Friday.

Sweetwater goes to Lamesa, Vernon to Big Spring and Plainview to Midland in Friday night play.

Lamesa needs only to win two more games to clinch at least a tie for the district championship. The Tornados have rolled over six opponents without a defeat. The only other team with an outside chance at the title is Big Spring, which boasts a 4-2 mark.

The Lions play three games next week to end their season. They go to Plainview on Feb. 12, play host to Lamesa Feb. 15 and meet Midland here Feb. 16. The Feb. 16 game was originally set for Feb. 19, but was changed so as not to conflict with a Chamber of Commerce meeting here.



**WATCH WOODCHUCK**—Palatine Stable's Woodchuck, shown with Trainer J. H. Pierce after a morning workout in Miami, has the entire turf world watching the form sheets. The sensational four-year-old, assigned third top weight of 119 pounds despite the fact he had been racing less than a month, finished third in the Hialeah Inaugural. Woodchuck won his first three starts. (NEA)

## Action Starts In El Paso Golf Tourney

El Paso, Feb. 7. (AP)—They start playing for keeps today in the \$10,000 El Paso open and the field never was wider open.

Cary Middlecoff, the Memphis, Tenn., dentist-golfer who is one of the leading money winners, observed: "Anybody can win this one."

The El Paso Country Club course measures just 6,315 yards—but there are some stiff hazards, like trees lining narrow fairways and greens with bare places in them for lack of moisture. Middlecoff played around it yesterday in the pro-amateur and said he quit counting when he reached 78 strokes.

It's about time for Middlecoff to win one. He hasn't bagged a first place this year as yet.

Jimmie Demaret, Ojai, Calif., Jim Ferrier, San Francisco; Johnny Revolta, Evanston, Ill., and several others were mentioned as quite likely to go good on this course.

And then there's Jim Turnesa, Briarcliff, N. Y., one of the famed Turnesa golfing brothers, who did a five-under-par 66 in the pro-amateur yesterday. Turnesa was jubilant over his round.

In the pro-amateur yesterday, the most unusual happening was an after-dark finish by Bill Ogden, Chicago, who shot a hole-in-one on the 125-yard No. 12. Ogden was guided in by his amateur partner, Charlie Butler, El Paso.

He missed a 30-foot putt on the 18th green that would have given him a tie with Turnesa. His 67 tied him for second place among the low scorers for the day and earned him \$58.33. Turnesa was \$250.

Six others—Jerry Robinson, San Antonio, Texas; Lionel Hebert, Verona, Pa.; Marty Furgol, Lemont, Ill.; Herman Coelho, Honolulu, and Shelley Mayfield, Cedarhurst, L. I., also had 67's.

A team of Jay Herbert, Long Island, N. Y., brother of Lionel, and Frank Halla, El Paso amateur, won the best ball competition with a 60. Herbert received \$150.

## TIL Approves Bowl Contest At Childress

Austin, Feb. 7. (AP)—The University Interscholastic League's ban on use of high school equipment for all-star games does not stand in the way of the Childress Greenbelt Bowl, the league executive committee ruled yesterday.

The committee said the all-star rule doesn't apply to the game sponsored by the Childress Quarterback Club because the city, not the school, owns the football stadium.

League Director Rodney Kidd quickly warned that any rush by schools to take advantage of the loophole by deeding their stadiums to cities probably would force the league to tighten the rule.

He said the committee could not rule differently in the Childress case in view of the facts set forth in a letter from Childress Mayor L. W. McClendon, School Superintendent Joe A. Gibson, and City Attorney John T. Forbis.

The officials advised the executive committee that the Childress School Board has no control over use of the city stadium, and the school receives none of the rental for use of the field.

Only use of equipment actually belonging to a school is a violation of the all-star rule, the committee said.

But President D. M. Wiggins in a statement said: "Neither the board of directors, nor the administrative officials of Texas Technological College has received any official notice from University of Arizona officials concerning any change in previous contractual policies."

"Texas Technological College has not attempted in the past, nor does it attempt now, to set policies for the University of Arizona."

"The board of directors of Texas Technological College continues to be the sole policy-making body of the institution."

Both Texas Tech and Arizona are members of the Border Conference. In the past 15 years, Texas Tech teams have taken part in games in which Negroes have played on opposing teams, but not in Lubbock.

Arizona will carry out its present commitments with Tech, including a basketball game at Lubbock Feb. 15. The schools have signed for a football game at Tucson this year and have agreed on an open date game at Lubbock in 1953.

## Draw Decision Ruled in Battle

Detroit, Feb. 7. (AP)—"We wuz robbed" noise spurted out of both camps today following a crowd-rousing middleweight battle between Robert Villmain of France and Eugene (Silent) Hairston of the Bronx last night.

Neither side liked the draw decision.

But most of the shrieking crowd of 7,859 didn't seem to mind the officials calling the 10-round scrap all even. Rarely had two fighters smashed each other so continually and viciously in a Detroit ring.

Both Villmain, 164½ pounds, and Hairston, 160½, wanted the decision since the International Boxing Club had indicated the winner of this fight would get a shot at Champion Sugar Ray Robinson. So the draw nettled both men.

"My boy, he won," insisted unhappy Manager Jean Bretonnel in Villmain's dressing room. It was the same story—with Hairston getting the plaudits—in Hairston's quarters.

Hairston, a deaf-mute, appeared in charge in the early rounds. But suddenly the bull-like rushes and windmill punches of the stocky Frenchman caught up with him in the fourth round.

But Villmain lacked the blasts needed to overpower his free-wheeling opponent. Hairston continued to bore in and trade blows and the crowd loved it, even if there wasn't a single knockdown in the fight.

SHAKEUP REPORTED  
Berlin, Feb. 7. (AP)—West Berlin sources reported today a shake-up in the Soviet zone Communist police force, including the dismissal of the chief of staff, Bernhard Bechler.

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## Miss Eudora Hawkins Guest Speaker for Sorosis Club

Miss Eudora Hawkins of Abilene, citizenship chairman of the Texas Federation of Women's Clubs, was guest speaker at the Wednesday afternoon meeting of the Sorosis Club in the home of Mrs. G. E. Carpenter, 2400 Pease Street. In keeping with the Texas Day Program of the club, Miss Hawkins spoke on "The Cavalcade of Texas." Mrs. F. E. Hogue was co-hostess for the occasion.

As the guests arrived they were ushered into the dining room, where Mrs. J. B. Golden presided. The tea table was covered with an imported cloth and centered with an arrangement of red carnations, carrying out the Valentine motif.

A business session was conducted by the president, Mrs. F. A. Caperton. During this time four new members were elected into the organization. They were Mesdames J. R. Thompson, Roy Dies, John Freeman and C. L. Henderson.

In her talk Miss Hawkins stressed the natural resources of Texas, saying Texas is not only great as an agricultural and mineral State, but also as an industrial State. She then conducted a quiz on Texas and showed a film on Texas' natural resources.

Those attending the meeting included two guests, Miss Hawkins and Miss Buelah Miles, Red Cross nursing supervisor for the Midwestern area, and Mesdames R. W. Abbott, Y. H. Babasin, Caperton, J. F. Carmichael, Ray Christian, Harry Colley, Arch D. Collins, Golden, John B. Hardin, H. D. Hockersmith, T. Edgar Johnson, Harry Mason, W. R. Murrell, M. G. Poteet, M. L. Sharp, W. P. Thomas, E. A. Vernon, Kade West, Carpenter and Hogue, and Misses Minnie King and Erma Rhoads.

## Social Calendar--

Thursday, Feb. 7.

The Co-Workers Class of the Central Christian Church will have a monthly social at 7:30 p. m. in the recreation room of the church. John Rasor of Crowell will give the program.

Past Noble Grands Club will meet at 7:30 p. m. with Mrs. Clyde Smith, 2229 Main Street.

Friday, Feb. 8

Elliott Home Demonstration Club meeting at 2:30 p. m. in the home of Mrs. J. W. Gribble.

Home Science Club "Gentlemen's Evening" in the home of Mrs. Joe Parr. Hostesses, Mesdames R. B. Adams, A. J. Carpenter, J. A. Scofield, C. W. Andrews and Claude Minyard.

The Lion's Den will be open for senior high members only from 7 to 11 p. m.

First Baptist Fidelis Class party at 3 p. m. in the church parlor. Mesdames L. E. Scott, Gerald Carter, Roy Taylor and B. D. Steelman, hostesses.

The Wayland International Choir from Plainview will present a concert at 7:30 p. m. in the First Baptist Church auditorium.

Saturday, Feb. 9

The Lion's Den will be open for all members from 2 to 5 p. m. and for junior high members only from 7 to 10 p. m.

Mrs. Inell Powell Reed will present her pupils in a recital at 7 p. m. at the Presbyterian Church.

Monday, Feb. 11

First Methodist W. S. C. S. circle meetings and continuation of study will be held as follows: 1. Mrs. Virgil Hildebrand, 2812 Texas, at 3 p. m.; 2. Mrs. C. W. Terrell, 2009 Mansard, 3 p. m.; 3. Mrs. W. P. Thomas, 2300 Wheeler, 3 p. m.; 4. Mrs. Y. H. Babasin, 2705 Yamparika, 3 p. m.; 5. Mrs. Leon Douglas, 2816 Bismarck, 4 p. m. (The nursery will be open); 6. Mrs. Ben Boston, church parlor, 9:45 a. m.

Tuesday, Feb. 12

Mozart Club meeting at 7:45 p. m. in the home of Miss Beth Wright, 2312 Cumberland.

Grace Episcopal Church monthly family supper at 7 p. m. in the Parish Hall.



Miss Jolly Arnold, pictured above with her instruments, will be featured with the Wayland College International Choir when it appears Friday, Feb. 8, at 7:30 p. m. at the First Baptist Church.

## LLL Class Supper Enjoyed Tuesday

The L. L. L. Class of the First Baptist Church held a hamburger supper Tuesday evening in the youth building of the church. Husbands of the members were special guests for the occasion. Mesdames Floyd Henson, Earl Walker, Hoagy Carmichael, G. F. Hemphill, J. A. DeSha, Jr., Coleman Ward and Leroy Gibson served as hostesses.

Following the supper Mrs. Jacob E. Davis directed games and contests.

Those present were Messrs. and Mesdames Kade West, Ira Sutton, Jacob E. Davis, Hoagy Carmichael, J. A. DeSha, Jr., Coleman Ward, Marlin Rowland, A. L. Thompson, Joe Anthony, O. T. Baker, M. L. Bryant, Wade Jacobs, Dale Parker, A. Q. Johnson and Leroy Gibson; Mesdames J. L. Riggins, A. T. Sutton, W. B. Glass, Jr., Walker, R. C. Jones and Hemphill.

## Hawaiian Girl Featured With Wayland Choir

When the Wayland College International Choir performs at the First Baptist Church at 7:30 p. m. Friday, Feb. 8, a featured choir member will be Miss Jolly Ivaauili Arnold of Hawaii.

Jolly is known for her skill in performing ancient drum chants handed down through generations. She uses two handmade drums, the smaller made of two coconuts, the larger of a native tree with a head fashioned from shark skin. Jolly designed her own costume along lines of ancient tradition. She also performs with other members of the choir, an intricate bamboo rhythm selection.

This marks her third year with the Wayland International Choir.

The 35-voice choir, under the direction of Conductor Shelby Collier, presents a unique and interesting concert. The first half of the program is devoted to traditional A Cappella music, while the second half presents a ray of international spirit with members of the choir wearing costumes of many nations.

Among selections heard will be James' "Almighty God of Our Fathers," "Kountz's" "Prayer," Bach's "Jesu, Priceless Treasure" and Noble Cain's arrangement of "Religion is a Fortune." Also, there are spirituals arranged by William L. Dawson.

Numerous ensembles and specialty numbers are presented during the second half of the concert.

## Mission Training Union Has Valentine Banquet

A Valentine banquet and program was enjoyed Tuesday night by the Adult Training Union of the First Baptist Pearl Street Mission.

A fried chicken dinner was served by the women of the group to 34 guests. The invocation was given by Rev. W. A. Bell. The Valentine theme was carried out in the decorations and place cards.

The musical program included group singing. The program was presented by Misses Mable and Jean Fox and Emmett Blair. Group reminiscences concluded the program, and Mrs. H. G. Cox led the dismissal prayer.

## HOME FROM KOREA

Mr. and Mrs. F. W. Jabin have received word that their son, Sgt. Clyde Jabin, has arrived in this country after spending 15 months at Tusan, Korea. Sgt. Jabin, a radio operator in the Air Force, is home on furlough and is expected to arrive in Vernon today. He visited with relatives in Fresno, Calif., en route to Vernon.

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An upholstery training school for home demonstration agents has been conducted this week at the courthouse by Miss Irma Winkleblack, home economist. The class, which started Monday and concluded today, was attended by home demonstration agents from ten Texas counties. Shown above doing interior work preparatory to upholstering are, left to right, Miss Joy Riley, Wilbarger County home demonstration agent; Miss Marva Thompson, assistant Wichita County agent; and Miss Cathryn Sands, Wichita County agent.

## Blanton Funeral is Held at Lubbock

Funeral services were held in Lubbock Thursday for Otho Blanton, 57-year-old former Vernon resident, who succumbed Tuesday to heart attack in the South Plains city.

Mr. Blanton was the son of the late Mr. and Mrs. J. S. Blanton of Vernon and spent many years of his life here.

Survivors include his wife, a son, two brothers and two sisters.

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## BIRTH ANNOUNCEMENT

Word has been received here that Mr. and Mrs. Arthur J. Hamill, Jr., are the parents of a daughter, Anita Joyce, born Monday, Feb. 4, at Bourne, Mass. The baby is the Hamill's second child. Mrs. Hamill will be remembered here as Miss Ruby Mae Riedel, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Gideon Z. Riedel, 3710 Lorraine Street.

As seen from Mars, the earth at its brightest would appear about as brilliant as Jupiter does to us.

## SEES LONG PROGRAM

Fort Worth, Feb. 7. (AP)—Arch N. Booth, executive vice president of the U. S. Chamber of Commerce, predicted last night defense mobilization will continue many years. Booth spoke at the National Affairs Area Conference. He denounced the idea mobilization is a temporary measure for a temporary emergency.

## GET TV SETS

Mexico City, Feb. 7. (AP)—Precinct committees of the Government's Political Party of Revolutionary Institutions (PPRI) each have a television set. The sets were given by the party to the precincts in preparation for the first use of television in Mexico's politics.

Miss Camilla Davis, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Sherman Davis, 1523 Houston Street, has been named to the staff of Robert S. Calvert, Comptroller of Public Accounts, in Austin. Miss Davis was graduated from Vernon High School and attended Texas Christian University in Fort Worth and the University of Texas at Austin.

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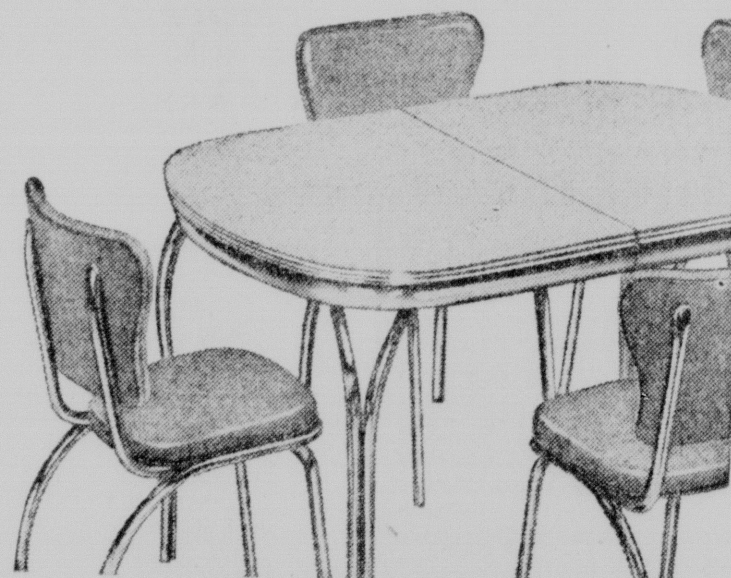
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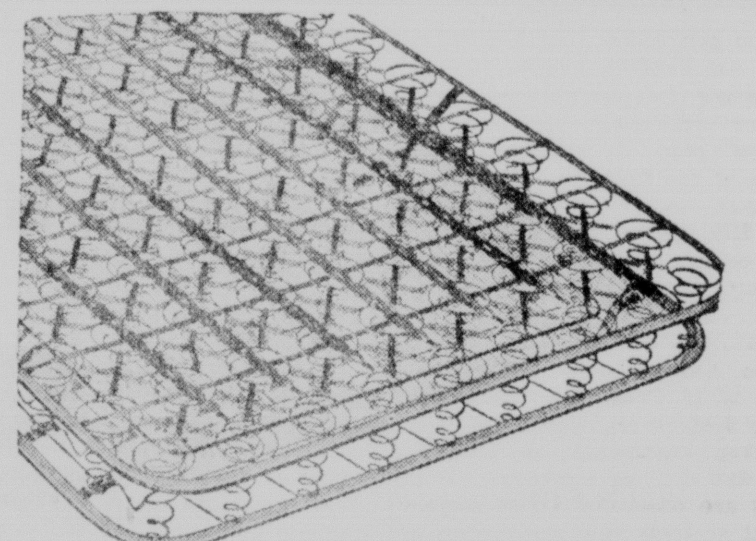
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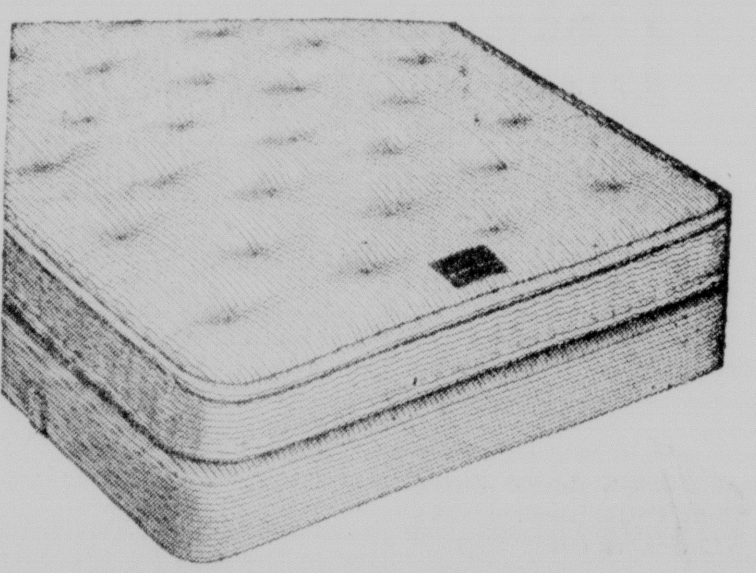
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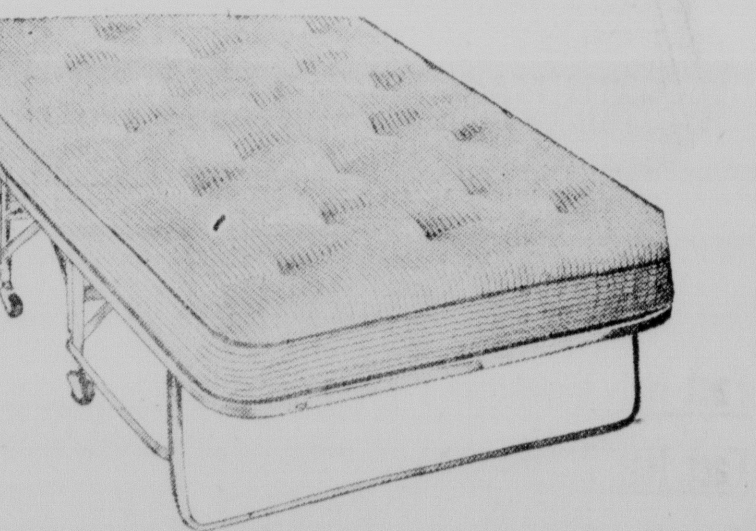
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# Comedy Pair Run Own Business

By Bob Thomas

Hollywood, Feb. 7. (AP)—"Who's on first?"

"Costello is right now," replied Bud Abbott. "But I get my in-nings next."

The purpose of my inquiry was not to get into the baseball routine of Abbott and Costello, but to find out which one was the boss. That is sometimes as confusing as the "who's on first?" merry-go-round, since the comedy team has perhaps the most unusual business set-up in the entertainment world.

Right now Lou Costello, the rotund funnyman of the pair, is the boss. He and Bud, the straight man, are finishing up 26 half-hour TV shows which Lou is producing for NBC. Lou will own the rights to this enterprise.

But on Feb. 27, Bud takes over. He is producing a movie called "Abbott and Costello Meet Captain Kid," with Charles Laughton in the role of the famed sea captain. Last summer, A. and C. made a picture called "Jack and the Beanstalk." That was one of Lou's productions.

The boys have three more pictures to make for their hom elot. U-I. (They take 50 per cent of the profits of those films, 30 for Lou, 20 for Bud.) After their studio contract is over, they intend to work only for themselves.

"I see no reason why we shouldn't just make pictures for ourselves," Bud told me. "It should work out very well. I do a picture for Lou, and then he does a picture for me. That would make everything even-Steven."

"The system has worked out fine so far. When we make pictures at U-I, we set a time limit for working—say, four o'clock in the afternoon. When it gets that time, we say 'okay, that's enough for today,' and we go home."

"But I've been working like a dog on Lou's pictures. And I know he'll do the same for mine."

Abbott and Costello, already among the highest-paid of Hollywood performers, stand to make vast amounts of money while producing for themselves. Good, had or indifferent, their pictures always reap a healthy profit. Some of the films have been sensational. "Buck private," which cost \$250,000 brought in five million dollars, Bud reported. The average profit is two million.

## TRIAL RESUMES

Los Angeles, Feb. 7. (AP)—The trial of 15 California Communist party leaders resumed today with opening arguments by prosecution and defense attorneys. Both sides are observing strict secrecy about strategy and the names of witnesses, although a government spokesman indicated yesterday the prosecution's first witness will be a former Communist. The defendants are charged with conspiring to teach and advocate violent overthrow of the government.



THERE'S NOTHING LIKE EATING OUT—Young volunteer workers, assisting in evacuation of families from flooded area near Wheeling, W. Va., take time out for a bite to eat, using table and chairs abandoned to rising flood waters. That's water from the Ohio River lapping at their feet.

## Texas Farmers, Ranchers Win Victory in U. S. Senate

Washington, Feb. 7. (AP)—Texas farmers and ranchers won a victory in the U. S. Senate yesterday when the body passed a bill to fix penalties for smuggling "wetbacks" into the U. S. or concealing them.

The farmers' victory came as the Senate defeated an amendment, 69 to 11, which would have fixed penalties for families who know or who have reasonable grounds to believe they are hiring a "wetback."

"Wetbacks" are Mexican workers who have illegally entered this country.

Backers of the defeated amendment, offered by Senator Paul Douglas, Illinois Democrat, claimed the newly passed bill would be "just a gesture" without the added penalty. Opponents said it could cause farmers to go to prison if they hurriedly hired workers in a rush season when crops were near perishing.

The measure, called up hurriedly because a present agreement between the U. S. and Mexico ends Feb. 12, now goes to the House, where passage is expected quickly. Negotiations are under way between Mexico and the U. S. on a new agreement under which needed Mexican farm labor would come into this country.

Mexico has said it would not renew the agreement, or make a new one, unless Congress passed strict laws against illegal entry. President Truman asked such laws and drew criticism from some members of Congress from Texas and from some farm groups.

A fine up to \$2,000 and a prison term of up to five years is provided in the new measure for anyone bringing an alien into the U. S. illegally, transporting him while in the U. S., harboring or concealing him or inducing an alien to enter the U. S. illegally.

The bill specifically says employment of an illegal alien "shall not be deemed to constitute harboring."

The bill's penalties would cover any alien who entered this country illegally but it is aimed principally at the wetbacks.

### Still Gets Oil Wells

Dallas, Feb. 7. (AP)—Jim Scott and E. G. Anderson, of nearby Wheatland harassed by a year-long drought, decided to dig some water wells for their livestock.

Bill Griffin, a well digger, spudded in on Scott's backyard and after drilling 20 feet, was rewarded with 31-gravity crude oil.

Determined to get water, Griffin moved his drilling rig over and spudded in again. After he had dropped the hole 20 feet, he struck oil again.

Geologists view the oil discovery with skepticism. Dr. Claude Albritton, head of the Southern Methodist University geology department, theorized it may be a leakage from a tank or that a fissure which rises close to the surface has been trapped.

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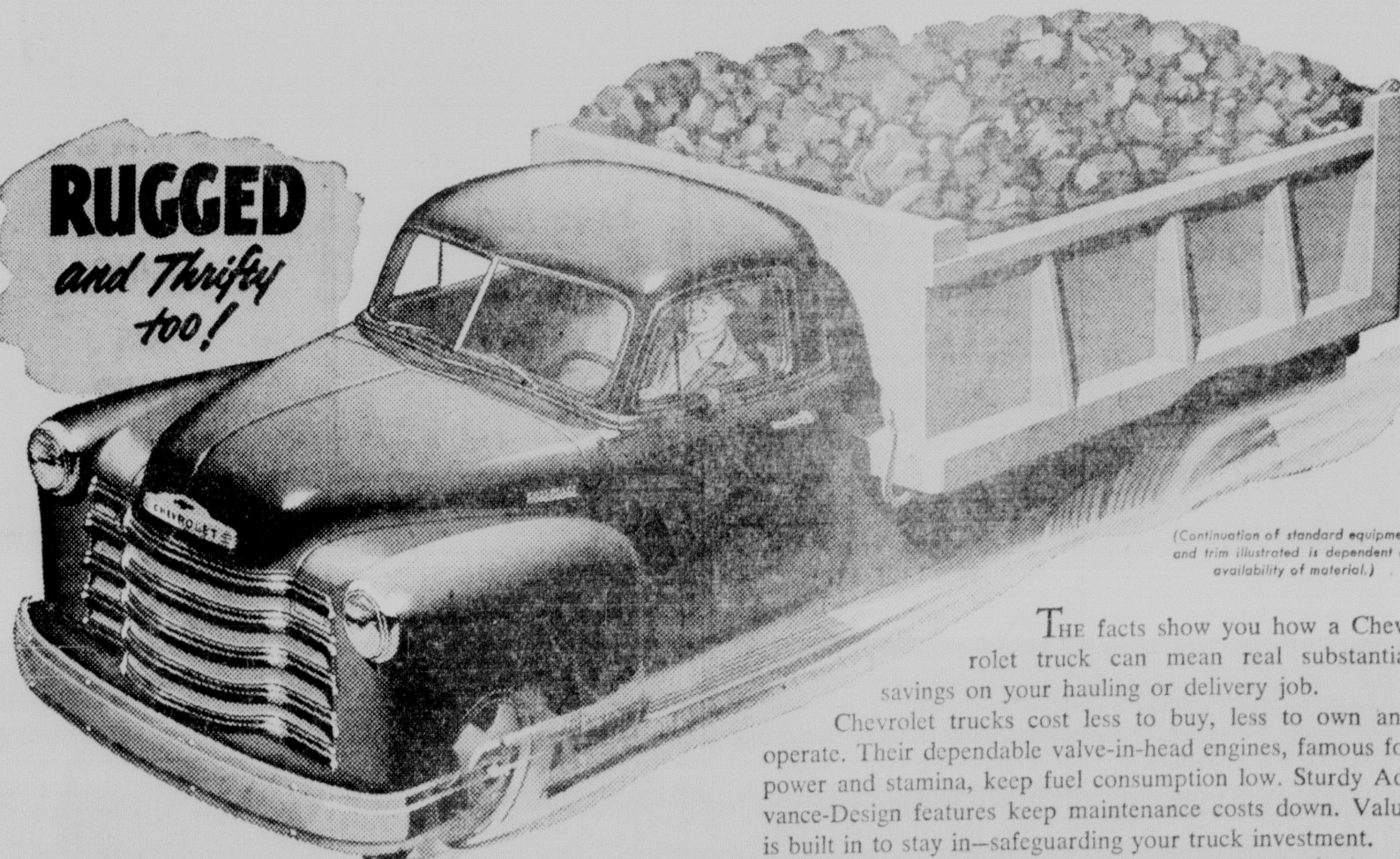
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SENATOR KEFAUVER NOT FOLLOWING RULES

Reasons why regular party leaders are anxious to block the campaign plans of Senator Kefauver are not hard to discover. It is not considered good form for anybody to seek the Presidential nomination of the party in power until the chief executive has indicated his approval. This is one of the oldest rules in politics. James A. Farley and John Nance Garner thought they had the go-ahead sign from the late President Roosevelt in 1940. South Carolina's Governor Byrnes, then a member of the White House official staff, was okayed as running mate for President Roosevelt in 1944, but was thrown overboard in favor of Senator Truman of Missouri.

These incidents show some of the reasons why politics is a tricky profession and is a game with many pitfalls, regardless of whether one follows the rules or plays a lone hand. Usually the lone wolves get nowhere. Frequently the same fate befalls those who play according to the rules, as Governor Byrnes and Jim Farley can testify. Even Henry A. Wallace could speak out of experience on this point.

But this man Kefauver has chosen to follow his own counsel. He didn't ask permission before announcing as a candidate and the White House high command makes no secret of a burning desire to see something terrible happen to the political ambitions of the Senator from Tennessee. Running for President without consulting the party bosses is almost the unpardonable political sin.

There is another and equally serious charge against the man who won fame as chairman of a Senate committee investigating crime in the United States. He showed up the rotten alliance between his own national party organization and the underworld. Not only that but he held hearings in strategic States, such as Illinois, just at the right time to do the greatest amount of damage to Democrats in races for Senate and Congress. The disclosures by the Kefauver committee almost gave Republicans control of the present Congress.

These facts about the Senator from Tennessee do not within themselves establish his desirability as a nominee for President. He has many handicaps, but he can cause a good many uneasy moments in and around Democratic National Committee headquarters for the next few months.

FACTORS INCLUDED IN "CALCULATED" RISKS

This country should assume the calculated risks involved and reduce military expenditures to a point where the budget can be balanced at around \$72 billion for the coming fiscal year. That is the opinion expressed the other day by Philip D. Read, chairman of the board of General Electric, in a speech delivered in Dallas.

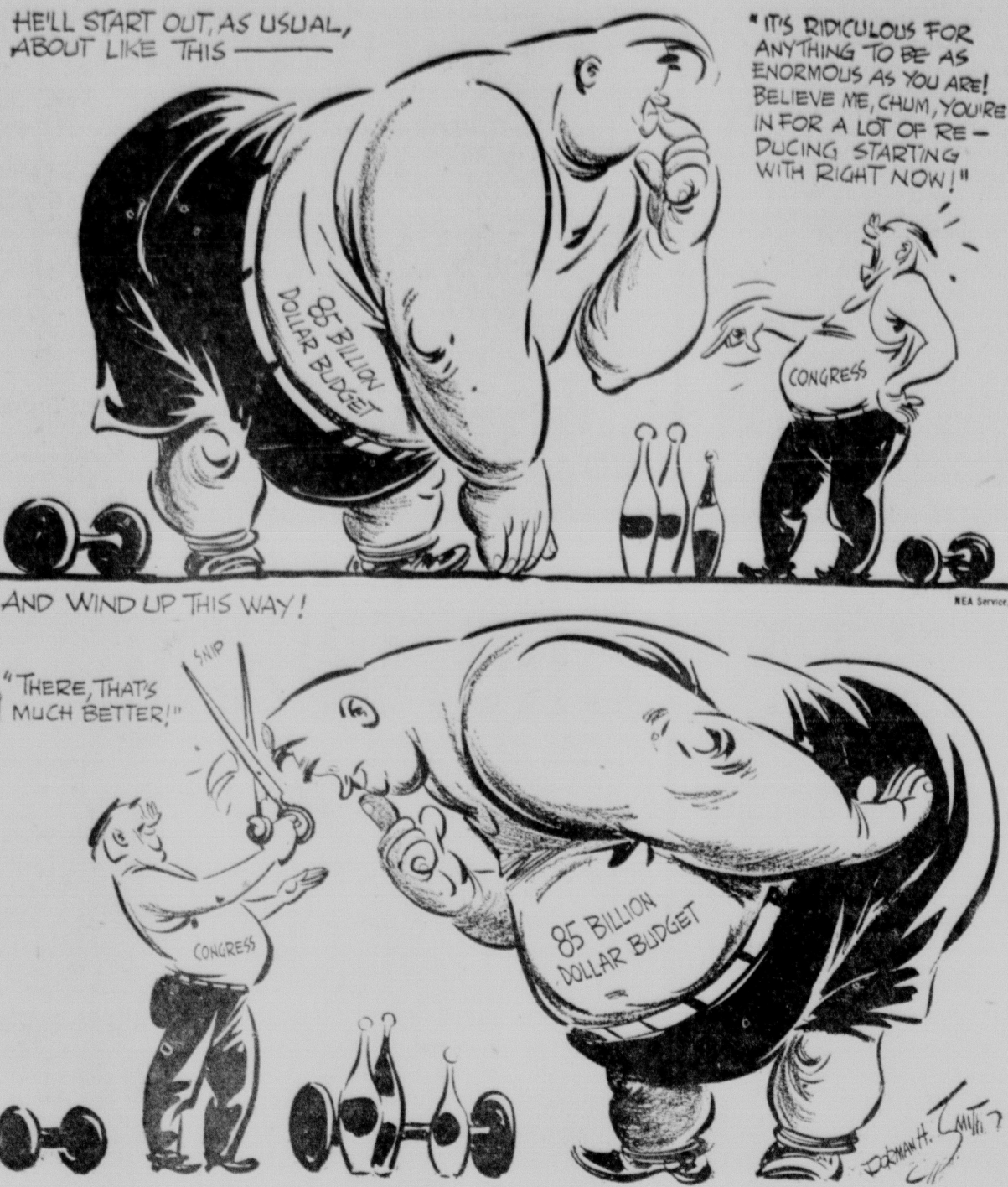
The budget submitted to Congress by President Truman called for an outlay of \$85.4 billion for the coming fiscal year which starts in July. Estimated tax income for the period, based on present rates, will be slightly in excess of \$70 billion. The gap of about \$14 billion would be closed according to the President's recommendation by additional taxation and some borrowing. In case one doesn't catch the significance of the term borrowing as employed in Government financial terminology it should be pointed out that it means increasing the public debt.

The proposal to limit expenditures to income has been made from several quarters and it does not appear as difficult as President Truman has indicated. Defense expenditures are placed by the President at about \$60 billion. A cut of 15 per cent is all that would be necessary to reduce this item to \$51 billion. If we are so near military disaster as to make a cut of that amount a risk that could not be taken, then we are pretty far gone.

The fact is that all authorities are agreed that there are no signs of an early attack by Russia. That is only an estimate, of course, and it could be wrong. But Mr. Read's contention is that we should take that much risk in order to avoid an even more imminent danger of placing too much strain on our economic system. A strong military defense will be of no value if we continue over-spending income until we are brought to the same sort of a plight that now plagues Great Britain and the European countries.

No matter what course we pursue we assume risks. There is good sense back of the suggestion that we reduce our economic risks to a minimum.

If He Follows the Precedent Set by Himself



Senator Defends Ransom Payment

Washington, Feb. 7. (AP)—Sen. Hunt (D-Wyo.) said today the U. S. decided to pay Communist Hungary \$120,000 for the release of four American airmen "because there was no telling what might happen" to them.

"The life of any one of those men was worth a great deal more than \$120,000," Hunt said. "It seems to me we got out pretty nicely and handled this in an orderly manner."

Hunt was discussing the appearance of Secretary of State Acheson Tuesday before a closed-door session of the Senate armed services committee.

Acheson was asked to explain the government's reasoning in paying to fines levied against the four flyers, who were held 40 days on "spy" charges and then convicted on a charge of violating Hungary's border.

Chairman Russell (D-Ga.) and some other Senators have suggested the flyers should have been allowed to serve out their three month jail terms, and then be given the \$30,000 each when they got out. That was the amount of the fines paid by the U. S. on Dec. 26.

But Hunt contended there was no way of telling how long they might have been held in jail.

Lieutenant Suspended By Police Commissioner

Chicago, Feb. 7. (AP)—Police Commissioner Timothy O'Connor suspended a lieutenant yesterday and disclosed the official's part in a raid on a saloon last Friday.

An undercover agent sent to a South Side saloon by O'Connor telephoned the commissioner that 40 persons were playing poker and blackjack. O'Connor called Lieut. George Mankowsky of the Woodlawn Station and ordered him to raid the place and arrest everyone in it.

The police hammered in the front door, after some difficulty, but they forgot to cover the back door. All the patrons fled through the unguarded rear door.

One man who failed to flee was seized by police. Mankowsky telephoned O'Connor and told him what had happened. But, he added, he had one prisoner—who claimed he was a policeman.

"He is a policeman," shouted O'Connor. "That's my undercover man."

Graham Uses King's Death in His Sermon

Washington, Feb. 7. (AP)—Evangelist Billy Graham used the death of King George VI to illustrate that "we never knew when we're going to meet our God."

The British King "was a great man and a mighty sovereign," Graham said last night. "He reigned over a commonwealth of nations, but he couldn't stay the power of death." The British monarch died yesterday.

The evangelist reeled off a long list of great biblical and historical figures. He said they were mighty but they died, often suddenly.

"Not only are you walking tonight on a thin edge—the on the brink of an abyss, but all of us are dying in the midst of life," Graham said.

He told his audience of 10,000 persons that all they needed to prepare for death "is to open your heart's door and let Jesus Christ enter in."

GAMBLING CURBED

Biloxi, Miss., Feb. 7. (AP)—Gambling on the Mississippi Gulf Coast is closed down again. Operators reopened last month after a shutdown that came just prior to a Senat committee investigation. They began closing down again Monday night. "Today it was complete. Operators gave no reason for the shutdown."

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2:25—News (MBS).  
3:30—Western Hits.  
4:00—Platter Parade.  
4:30—Green Hornet (MBS).  
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6:15—Spotlight On Sports.  
6:30—Gaiety Theater (MBS).  
6:45—Calvary Baptist Church.  
7:00—Circus Kid.  
7:30—Orchestra (MBS).  
7:45—Football Game.  
10:00—Sign Off.

**Saturday Mornins**  
7:00—Trading Post.  
7:15—The Altar in the Sky.  
7:30—News.  
7:45—Popular Hits.  
8:00—Alarm Clock Club.  
9:00—Rays of Sunshine.  
9:30—Leslie Nichols (MBS).  
9:45—Helen Hall Femme Fair (MBS).  
10:00—Georgia Crackers (MBS).  
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11:15—3-D Roundup.  
11:30—News.  
12:00—Man on the Farm (MBS).

**Saturday Afternoon**  
12:30—News.  
12:35—Music of Hill & Plain.  
12:45—Party Line.  
1:00—Stars on Parade.  
1:15—Music.  
1:30—Hymns of the Ages.  
2:00—Excursions in Science.  
2:15—Saturday Symphonette.  
2:30—National Guard Show.  
2:45—Music.  
3:00—Caper Time.  
4:00—Navy Program.  
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4:30—Proudly We Hall.  
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6:30—Comedy of Errors (MBS).  
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7:30—Music.  
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To prevent chicks from eating too much at one time, feed them three or four times a day for the first few days. Also, feed chicks on newspapers the first several days to help teach them to eat and prevent them from picking at the litter.

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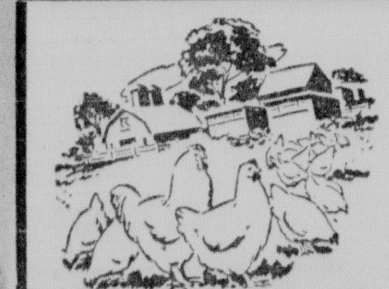
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## Dr. Logan's Wife

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AT 9:10, Peter shut the door of Mr. Starr's office behind him, walked slowly back to his department. He hadn't said a word. A denial would have been a waste of breath. From beginning to end he could see Starr's point of view. It was logical, irrefutable and entirely moral according to the mores of business.

Mr. Starr had given it to him straight. "Dr. Surinow," he had said, "late yesterday I was interviewed in your behalf by a young man whose credentials were in order. He was a federal investigator. He advised me that you were being considered for a government-subsidized research job at Angels Hospital. He asked me questions about you. I answered them freely. You've done a good job here. We had nothing to complain of. But I confess that I was annoyed that you had not been sufficiently straightforward to advise me that you were contemplating leaving our laboratories. I saw fit to phone Angels Hospital for further information as to when the project would get under way. I spoke to the superintendent, Mr. Cota, who told me in no uncertain terms of the shady circumstances under which you were asked to leave the hospital. I regret that I did not check into that at the time you came here. I thought you left the hospital job for this one because of the salary increase. Mr. Cota made it clear that there was no research project planned at Angels for which your services would be accepted. I assume therefore that the federal man used that as an excuse to protect your position here until their investigation of you was concluded.

"We have a lot of government contracts at this time, as you know,

Frankly, Dr. Surinow, I am not willing to sit out the period during which you are proved safe or unsafe by the FBI. If you put yourself in my place, you will understand that I must act conservatively in a way that best protects our company. You can stop on the way out at the bookkeeping department for your check which will include an extra month's salary in lieu of notice."

WHEN Peter reached his desk, he found the message—Jennet Logan called. He sat on the metal stool, absently played with the piece of paper on which her name was written. There was no point in calling her now. He had no job, he wasn't even sure he had a future, at least not one he could ask her to share.

He looked down the alley of the room where eight white-gowned, white-capped technicians sat at the counters filling assembly lines of bottles with gloved hands. "I'm just a nurse to a bunch of milk bottles," he had grouched to Walter Pelletier not long ago. He was glad to be relieved, however forcibly, from the tedium of the work, wondering why he had stuck it out this long—probably because it was as good a place as any to come and brood about Jennet. Highly paid brooding it had been, too. But it was not pleasant to be fired even from a dull job, and worse still was the sense of being hunted. He felt it in his belly again, the sick tight belly-fear of the pack, of the posse, of men against one.

Question was—who was hunting him? Government—subsidized research project—hogwash. If there'd been such a thing afoot, Pelletier would have told him about it. Still, the FBI was not apt to invent excuses to protect a man's job while he was in the

process of being cleared. Also, the FBI was the smell, not the cheese. Was Cota the cheese? First blackmail, now persecution. Why?

He had put so little of himself into this room, there was little to take out. A slide-rule, a Geiger counter, a fountain pen, a film badge. He took them with him to the locker-room where he changed back into his street clothes. He picked up his check at the bookkeeper's office on his way out. He drove his car out of the parking lot, turned west to the hospital. He was a car and a few thousand dollars ahead of the last witch-hunt.

PETER was not surprised that Cota refused to receive him. Word came via the secretary that he was "tied up" and unable to see Peter except by appointment. Peter pushed past the girl, lunged open the door of the superintendent's office.

Maxwell Cota was standing at the window, his back to the door, when Peter charged in. Cota wheeled at the sound, his face darkening with sudden blood, and he scurried up the step behind his desk, his hand under the center panel. Thus apprised, he ordered shrilly, "Stay where you are, Surinow—if you know what's good for you!"

"I came," Peter said evenly, without slackening his advance, "to ask you a few questions, Mr. Cota, and I don't care if you have your hand on a howitzer." He reached across the desk and raised Cota from the floor by the lapels. Then he saw the black arm-band on Cota's limp-swinging sleeve, and he remembered Pelletier's mentioning the death of Cota's crippled sister. Ashamed by the jarring version of Cota as be-raved brother instead of hostile superintendent, Peter released his grip.

He backed away, sat down on the rim of the lounge chair and crossed his arms on his chest. Cota, relieved of his fear of violence, rested his weight on the edge of the high, carved banquet chair.

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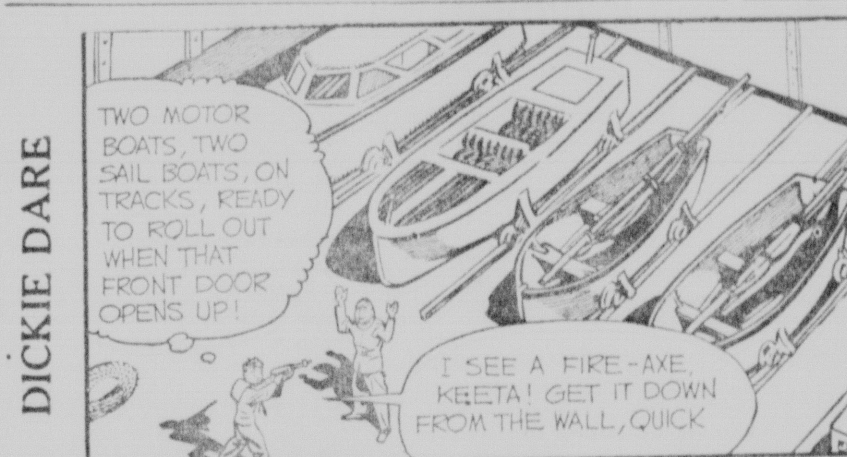
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